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Moves Over Looming U.S.-E.E.C. Trade War Gains Speed

Semi-Secret Meeting in Geneva Reported,
World Agricultural Exporting Nations
Concerned About Escalating Disputes

Geneva, Jan. 19 (UPI) — Senior U.S. and EEC officials held talks on ways to avoid a trade war over the Spanish feed grain dispute here Sunday, a U.S. spokesman confirmed.

EEC diplomats declined to confirm officially that the talks took place. A source close to the EEC said the talks were "civilized", but could not comment on whether progress had been made.

Alan Woods, Deputy U.S. Trade Representative, and Daniel Amstutz, Deputy U.S. Agriculture Secretary, attended the 1-day meeting on behalf of the U.S., while Leslie Fielding, EEC director general for external affairs, and Guy Legras, director general for agriculture, represented the EEC, trade sources said.

Sunday's meeting was intended to pave the way for a meeting in Washington Friday and Saturday between U.S. trade representative Clayton Yeutter and European commissioner for external affairs Willy De Clercq.

Washington has threatened to introduce 200% tariffs on U.K. gin, French brandy, Dutch cheese and Danish pork products if the EEC has not offered adequate compensation by Jan. 31 for lost Spanish feed grain sales valued at \$400 million since Spain joined the EEC last year. The EEC has threatened to counter such a move with 30-50 European-currency-unit-per-tonne extra levies on U.S. corn gluten feed.

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Portugal Friday held up EEC approval of a decision to impose a surtax on U.S. imports of corn gluten feed and rice, if the U.S. curbs imports of a range of EEC foodstuffs, sources reported.

They said the EEC finance ministers tentatively agreed to impose a surcharge between 42 and 55 European currency units — \$45 to \$60 — for each tonne of U.S. corn gluten feed and rice imported into the EEC.

But Portugal held up the accord, because it wanted guarantees its animal feed producers, who use the corn gluten feed for their products, would not suffer from the EEC action, the sources said.

The ministers had prepared a statement saying the surtax would begin when the U.S. raised tariffs on a range of EEC food imports by us much as 200%, they added.

On Dec. 30, the U.S. said the higher tariffs would begin at the end of January and affect imports of EEC gin, brandy, white wine, cheeses, canned hams, endives, carrots and olives.

The Morges Group, at informal gathering of experts from 10 leading agricultural exporters including the U.S., EEC, Australia and Argentina, started meeting here earlier today.

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Annual Crop Highlights

Washington, Jan. 18 (USDA) — Corn for grain: Production in 1986 is estimated at 8.25 billion bushels, down 7% from the record 1985 crop. The U.S. yield is a record high 119.3 bushels per acre, 1.3 bushels more than the previous record set last year.

Sorghum grain: Production in 1986 totaled 942 million bushels, down 16% from last year's crop. The 13.9 million acres harvested for grain is down 17% from 1985. Yield averaged a record high 67.7 bushels per acre, 0.9 of a bushel above the previous record set last year.

Oats: Production in 1986 is estimated at 385 million bushels, 26% below the 1985 production and the smallest crop since 1976. The U.S. yield averaged 58.0 bushels per acre, down 7.7 bushels from the record 1985 yield.

Barley: Production in 1986 is estimated at a record high 810 million bushels, up 3% from last year's production. Average yield per acre is 50.8 bushels, down 0.3 of a bushel from the 1985 yield.

Feed grains: Production of feed grains (corn, sorghum, oats, and barley) totaled 282 million metric tons in 1986, down 8% from last year's 274 million metric tons.

All hay: A record high crop of 165 million tons was produced in 1986. This production is 4% above the 1985 level and 3% above the previous record set in 1984.

All wheat: Production in 1986 totaled 2.05 billion bushels, 14% below 1985. Area harvested for grain, at 80.7 million acres, is down 6%. Yield averaged 34.4 bushels per acre, 3.1 bushels below 1985 and the lowest average yield since 1980.

Rice: Production for 1986 is estimated at 134 million hundredweight, down less than one half of 1% from last year and the second smallest crop since 1980. Growers combined 2.38 million acres, 4% less than last year. Yield averaged a record high 6,648 pounds per acre for 1986.

Food grains: wheat, rye, and rice production totaled 68.4 million metric tons in 1986, down 13% from last year's 72.6 million metric tons.

Soybeans: Production for 1986 is estimated at 2.01 billion bushels, 4% less than last year and the fourth largest crop of record. Area planted, at 61.5 million acres and area harvested,

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El Reposo And Wentz Simbrah Bull Sale Set For January 31

Hebronville, Tx. -- The El Reposo Ranch and Wentz Farming Company Simbrah Bull Sale will be held Saturday, January 31, 1987 at the Hebronville Auction Barn at Hebronville.

Texas. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. Selling will be a group of 60 big, stout range ready Simbrah bulls and 60 replacement heifers. The bulls will feature the breeding of both El Reposo and Wentz. The 60 replacement heifers come from El Reposo Ranch with the older heifers selling bred and the younger heifers selling open.

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Shorthorn Sale Date Changed

The 8th Annual Cowtown Classic

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February 1, 1987, has been changed to

Saturday, January 31, 1987 at 7 p.m.

The sale, sponsored by the Texas Shor-

thorn Association, will be held in the

Cattle Sale Arena, Southwestern Ex-

position & Fat Stock Show grounds,

Fort Worth, Texas. A parade of the

sale offering, bred and open heifers,

bulls and show steer prospects, will be

held at 6 p.m. Bruce Miller, Fort

Worth, Texas will serve as auctioneer.

Additional information may be ob-

tained from sale committee members

J.O. & Mary Bass, H.C. 1, Box 176,

Plano, Texas 75072, phone (806)

285-2121 or Larry Eubank, Rte. 2, Box

154R, Whitney, Texas 76692, phone

(817) 894-3943.

Auctioneer will be Rubin

Shorthorn Judgings Set Fort Worth

The Southwestern Exposition and

Fat Stock Show will have several

shows with Shorthorn cattle being

Judged. The junior beef heifer show

will be at 8 a.m. Saturday, January

31, 1987. It will be followed by the

junior showmanship contest spon-

sored by the Texas Junior Shorthorn

Association. The contest has a junior

and senior age division and is open

to any member of the Texas junior

association. Additional information

can be obtained from Steve Young,

Tula, president at 806-669-4681 or

Todd Boren, secretary at 214-298-

4380.

Sale cattle for the Cowtown Classic

Shorthorn Sale will be paraded at 6

p.m. January 31.

The open Shorthorn show is set for

Monday, February 2nd at 8 a.m. Open

Shorthorn cattle will be released after

5 p.m. that day.

Junior steers will arrive February 3,

1987, with judging set for the af-

ternoon of Thursday, February 5 for the

following breeds: Angus, Hereford,

Pollard Hereford, Shorthorn, and

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★ Bred Females

★ Bulls

★ Steers

Oil Well Discoveries Increase in November

Austin — Texas oil and gas

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JANUARY 16, 1987

Cattle sold this week 1,169, last week 1,241, one year ago 1,362. We had 166 consignors sell on a very active market that was steady to \$2.00 higher on some classes. Slaughter cattle were \$2.00 higher in every active trade. All stocker and feeder cattle were in very strong demand at higher prices.

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Mod Ch. str. calves	300-400 lbs \$8.00
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Mod Ch. steer calves	400-500 lbs \$8.00
Gd Ch. Heif. calves	200-300 lbs \$6.00
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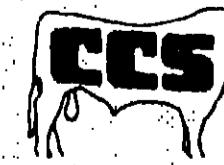
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Headquarters for the AMAA is the Stockyards Hotel, and reservations may be made through the Association.

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Texas All-Breed
Bull Sale, Feb. 7

At Mt. Vernon

Mr. Vernon — The Texas All-Breed Bull Sale will be held at the Franklin County Livestock Commission Company at Mt. Vernon, Texas. Sale time is 12:00 noon, February 7, 1987.

Selling will be 80 lots of registered bulls including 13 Beefmaster, 15 Brangus, 10 Charolais, 2 Limousin, 12 Hereford, 10 Simmental, 2 Black Angus, 8 Red Angus, 5 Gray Brahman and 3 Red Brahman.

The sale offering has been fertility tested and graded for soundness. They are fully acclimated and ready for transport.

For information contact Benny Cummins, Franklin County Livestock Commission Co., or Gayle Ingram, Sale Manager and Auctioneer, Box 579, Quitman, Texas 75783, 214/878-2225.

Cattle Sold Steady
At San Antonio

San Antonio, Jan. 14 (F-S) — Cattle and calves 1,700. Feeder cattle opened steady with a firmer undertone on 300-400 lb. steer calves. Slaughter cattle were \$2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls tested early. Feeder steers: medium and large frame no. 1: 300-400 lbs. 68.50-76.50, 400-500 lbs. 70.00-73.00, 500-600 lbs. 65.50-67.50. Medium and large frame no. 2: 300-400 lbs. 88.25-92.50. Feeder bulls: medium and large frame no. 1: 500-650 lbs. 64.00-66.00.

Feeder heifers: medium and large frame no. 1: 250-300 lbs. 64.00-70.50, 300-400 lbs. 59.50-64.00, 500-600 lbs. 54.00-59.50. Medium and large frame no. 2: 300-400 lbs. 67.50-61.50, 400-500 lbs. 54.00-57.25.

Large frame no. 2: Santa Gertrudis: 400-500 lbs. 55.25-59.25. Feeder heifers and heiferettes: medium and large frame no. 2: 600-1000 lbs. 44.00-47.00. Slaughter cows: boning utility 1-3 39.25-42.25, cutter 37.25-40.50.

Hogs 300. Barrows and gilts steady to \$2.00 higher. U.S. 1-3 210-280 lbs. 47.00-48.00, 25 head 48.50.

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According to legend the original Nichola (Santa) was a 4th century Turkish bishop who dropped gold coins down a chimney into the fire a poor girl had hung by the fire to dry.

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Maine-Anjou National
Convention Feb. 1-3

The American Maine-Anjou Association will hold its National Convention Show and Sale on February 1st through 3rd. The activities are in conjunction with the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, Texas. Activities begin on Sunday, February 1 with the Maine Classic National Sale. The Sale will be held at 7 PM in the Show Arena on the Stock Show grounds. Cattle from most of the reputation herds in the United States have been consigned to this select sale.

Monday's schedule includes the AMAA Annual Meeting, the Maine Ante women's auxiliary meeting, and several open committee meetings. Of special note is the seminar at 10 AM sponsored by the Maine Ante, Dr. Larry Boleman, state Beef Cattle Specialist from Texas A&M, will speak on record keeping systems for the beef herd. Tying into this, Dr. Stephen Hamock, Area Beef Specialist with the Extension system, will discuss the interpretation of performance data to select breeding stock. The seminar is open to all interested persons. The seminar and all the meetings will take place in the Silverado Room owned by Billy Bob's Texas in the Stockyards area.

Monday will close with the Awards Dinner in the Silverado Room. At this dinner, the recipients of the two highest AMAA awards — the Maine Man of the Year, and the National Breeder of the Year — will be announced.

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HEIFERS: 200-300 lbs. \$60.75; 300-400 lbs. \$58.63; 400-500 lbs. \$58.64; 500-700 lbs. \$52.60

STEERS: 200-300 lbs. \$75.90; 300-400 lbs. \$70.85; 400-500 lbs. \$64.74; 500-700 lbs. \$60.67

PACKER COWS: Canners \$30.34; Cutters \$37.45; Fat cows \$37.42.

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Representative sales: Jess Grantham, Bridgeport, 1295 lb. Holstein cow at \$41.00; Homer Jones, Azle, 320 lb. red steer at \$85.00; Mike Massy, Poolville, 450 lb. black heifer at \$90.00; Jerry Thedford, Bridgeport, 350 lb. Charolais heifer at \$64.00; Clayton McIntire, Biloxi, 685 lb. red steer at \$64.00; Tom Saunders, Weatherford, 1690 lb. bull at \$51.50; McGhee Ranch, Lipan, 730 lb. Charolais heifer at \$59.00; A.D. Hurley, Azle, 1145 lb. cow and calf at \$70.00.

Giant Brangus Sale At Industry Set February 7

The "Giant" Brangus Sale will be held Saturday, February 7, 1987. The sale will be held at the Four County Auction Center at Industry, Texas.

Selling at 10:00 a.m. will be Commercial females. The Registered Brangus females will sell at 1:00 p.m. The sale will feature commercial Brangus bred heifers and pairs from the Tom J. Moore Cattle Co. at Washington, Texas.

Also selling will be 60 bulls.

For information contact the sale manager, ASH Marketing Service, Box 2049, Brenham, Texas 77833, 409/289-5010. Andrew S. Holloway 409/830-1788, Troy Kirkpatrick 409/830-8081, or Dale Lambert 409/830-8985.

Kansas Range Sales

Dodge City, Jan. 16 (USDA) —

Feeder steers 1.00-2.00 higher and

feeder heifers firm to 50 higher. Feeder

steers 1,600; medium frame no. 1

700-750 lbs. \$3.00-\$5.00, 750-810 lbs.

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Heifers 700; medium frame no. 1

650-750 lbs. \$5.50-\$6.00. late

60.00-\$6.00.

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and glue them to the boxes. Use ribbons

too if you wish.

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Athens All-Breed Bull Sale Set For January 31

Athens, Texas — The Athens All-Breed Bull Sale will be held Saturday, January 31, 1987. Sale time is 10:00 a.m. at the Athens Livestock Commission Co. at Athens, Texas. The sale location is on Highway 31.

Selling will be 80 registered bulls including 10 Hereford, 18 Redmaster, 21 Brangus, 12 Simmental, 3 Charolais, 5 Gray Brahman, 5 Bradford, 4 Red

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**Triple J Beefmaster
Bull Sale At Sealy
Set For February 7**

Sealy, Texas — The Triple J Beefmaster Bull Sale will be held Saturday, February 7, 1987. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. at the Port City Stockyards at Sealy, Texas.

Selling will be 60 Beefmaster bulls, including herd sires, herd sire prospects and range bulls ready to work.

Sale headquarters will be the County Inn Motel at Sealy, Texas, 709-885-7407.

Auctioneer will be Anthony Mihalski. Sale consultant is Bubba Bain, 915-683-6398.

For information on this BBU approved sale contact Triple J Ranch, P.O. Box 619, Kasey, Texas 77492-0619. Tel. 409/739-4726. Joel J. Wabberly, Jr., Mike Kohlman, General Manager, 619-683-6398.

The name of date is named for John C. Bain who was born in that month.

Futures Talk
Week Ending Jan. 16

Customers orders are executed on the "floor" of the Exchange. On the floor are "pits" or "rings" where Floor Brokers execute orders. A "pit" is generally a wooden construction with eight sides. When you walk into the pit, you walk up three or four steps to the top, and then walk down three or four steps into the center of the trading ring or pit. Generally each futures contract has its own pit.

Floor Brokers stand on the steps when they make trades. The particular step that a broker is standing on represents the futures month that the broker is trading. Brokers who execute spread orders generally stand in the center of the ring so that they will have easier access to several "trading months" because a spread trade involves execution in two different months at once.

Each Floor Broker wears a badge with generally a three or four letter designation. This designation is given to the trader when the "seat" is pur-

chased by the trader. A "seat" is another name for "membership" in the Exchange. When an order is filled, each broker involved in the trade writes down the execution price, time, letter designation of the other broker, and brokerage house that the Floor Broker is serving on the trade.

The prices are shouted out by each broker wanting to make a trade. When two brokers agree on a price, a trade has been made. These "outcries" by the brokers are recorded as they occur by Market Reporters who are employees of the Exchange. This price data is automatically transmitted to

neutral. The "flow" is a short term directional indicator. When a downrending market tries to bottom out, the flow will turn neutral first, and then at a later time, the "trend" may be broken. Price can only do three things: move up, move down or stay in a neutral position. Once in a neutral position, it will take more technical factors to move the flow into either the up or down mode. As of January 16, these feeders have rallied for 12 days and are due for a reaction. There is major support around \$60.00.

In accordance with last week's article, the close above \$67.70 has changed the trend of June live cattle (futures) from down to up, and the flow has changed from down to neutral. These cattle have rallied for 17 days and are due for a reaction. There is major support around \$65.50.

I would like to make a very important point here! When you go to make a trade, you are generally not going to get filled at the last price shown on your brokers quote machine screen. The trade at that price was probably around 30 to 40 seconds ago.

If you are in phase with the flow of the price, the markets will pay you a handsome dividend.

In accordance with last week's article, the close above \$62.75 has changed the trend of March feeder cattle from down to up, but the flow remains

\$1.62-1.65 continues to hold. There is resistance around \$1.84.

The trend of May wheat remains

and the flow has changed from do-

to neutral.

The resistance at \$2.68 was knocked out on January 16 with the close at \$2.65 1/4.

The support is at \$2.69 1/4.

The major support is around \$2.47.

The trend of March soybeans re-

mains sideways.

The boundaries of sideways

pattern are \$5.11 and \$4.83.

A close below \$4.83 will change the flow and the trend to down.

A bottom occurred on December 18 at \$4.88 in accordance with last week's article.

\$4.86 remains the bottom of this down move in the sideways pattern.

The flow and trend of June Treasury Bills remains down.

The resistance is around \$6.10.

Treasury Bill futures

traded with numbers that are

reciprocal of interest rates.

As T-Bills

future move lower, interest rates

become higher.

This report is the opinion of Re

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Weather Paralyzes
Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, Jan. 10 (USDA) — Cattle and calves 400. Actual auction sales: 60 head, includes 18 cows. Not enough of any class for market test. Snow, ice, and temperatures below 23 degrees with -2 to -5 windchill had entire trade area tied up since last Friday evening. Road conditions still poor with ice and snow and travel is being discouraged. Feeder steers (mainly bulls): medium frame 1-2, com. packages 260-350 lb. 70.05/21.5. Medium frame 2, pkgs. 485 lb. 61.10. Feeder heifers: medium frame 1-2, com. pkgs. 220-310 lb. 58.60/50.00. Medium frame 2, pkg. 440 lb. 53.00. Replacement or feeder cows: medium frame 1-2, young 42.60/43.75; middle aged 36.20.

**CBT Grains/Oilseed
Settlement Prices**

Soybeans

Jan. 4.99 up 1 1/4.

March 4.99 1/2 up 1 1/4.

May 6.00 1/2 up 1 1/4.

July 6.02 up 1.

Aug. 5.00 up 1 1/4.

Sept. 4.89 up 1.

Nov. 4.87 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Jan. 4.84 1/2 up 2.

March 5.01 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Wheat

March 2.82 1/2 up.

May 2.68 1/2 up 1 1/4.

July 2.49 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Sept. 2.49 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Dec. 2.64 1/2 up 2 1/2.

March 2.63 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Corn

March 1.61 up 1 1/4.

May 1.66 1/2 up 1 1/4.

July 1.70 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Sept. 1.71 1/2 up.

Dec. 1.74 1/2 up 3 1/2.

March 1.82 1/2 up 1.

May 1.85 up 1 1/4.

Oats

March 1.59 1/2 up 1 1/4.

May 1.54 1/2 up 1 1/4.

July 1.48 1/2 up 1 1/4.

Sept. 1.39 up 1 1/4.

Dec. 1.42 up.

Soymeal

Jan. 149.30 up 60.

March 144.80 up 60.

May 143.40 up 10.

July 143.60 up 20.

Aug. 143.30 up 20.

Sept. 142.80 up 20.

Oct. 142.60 up 20.

Dec. 143.20 up 20.

Jan. 144.50 up 10.

You can remove a red wine spill on your rug with club soda. Leave on the stain to completely absorb, then vacuum.

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Commodity Insight
Week Ending January 15

In the December 18th issue of my newsletter Commodity Insight, I suggested that all shorts in the grain and metal complex be covered immediately. The CRB index had fallen to my

level before it expires at the end of the month. It's possible that a train wreck

for the feeders is close at hand.

Stock Market — The Dow may be

impressive but the rest of the market

is quite questionable.

If the dollar con-

tinues its steep decline while crude

oil prices rise, the bond market

should be in a hard tumble.

If that does not

happen, the stock market is not

far behind.

I was presenting a new scenario for

the markets. A scenario much dif-

ferent from what I had been ad-

vocating the previous twelve months.

This new scenario was founded on the

belief that the U.S. dollar would

resume its downturn.

If the dollar did

indeed happen, the stock market

would be the first to benefit.

I would like to be a seller of any

stock index futures contract when the

Dow Jones closes over 2065. These

trades should be done on a close only

basis. This trade is obviously not for

the week ahead.

The Dow will eventually have a

normal healthy break. That's a fact.

The question is — how hard will the

broke

and from what level? A nor-

mal

break for the Dow would be

10-15%.

That would mean a break of at

least 200 points.

In December the Dow fell 65 points

and certain stock index futures fell

nearly \$800 per contract. Therefore,

it's quite possible that a normal break

in the Dow will give birth to the big-

gest sell-off in history for the stock

markets. Futures prices could fall as

much as \$30,000 per contract.

Sample copies of my market

newsletter, Commodity Insight, are

available at no charge. Write to: Com-

modity Insight, 8182 Maryland Ave.

Suite 102, St. Louis, Mo. 63105. Phone

314/726-7926.

This report is prepared by Jerry

Welch, owner of Commodity Insight.

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Sealy "All-American" All-Breeds Bull Sale Set For January 31

Sealy, Texas — The Annual Sealy All-Breeds Bull Sale will be held Saturday, January 31, 1987. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at Port City Stockyards at Sealy, Texas.

Selling will be 75 bulls including Brangus, Beefmaster, Santa Gertrudis, Red Brangus and Simbrah. The bulls are breeding age, fertility tested, TB and Bangs tested.

Auctioneer will be Leo Casas.

For information contact the sale manager, Syler Sales Management, Inc., Matt and Ann Syler, Rt. 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas 77835, 409/289-4400.

Annual Crop Highlights

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at 59.4 million acres, are down 3% and 4%, respectively. Average yield, at 33.8 bushels per acre, is 0.3 of a bushel below the record yield set last year.

All cotton: Production for 1986 is estimated at 9.78 million bales, 27% below the 1985 crop and 25% below 1984.

Peanuts: Production of the 1986

Washington Co. Beef Assn. Sale Report

Forty four bulls were sold during the Washington County Beef Herd Improvement Association first annual all-breed performance bull sale Saturday, December 6 at the Fairgrounds in Brenham.

The 44 bulls grossed \$37,380.00 for a \$840.55 average. The top graded and high selling bull was CIIH 1.1 Buster 1178, a horned Hereford consigned by Coon Haven Hereford Ranch of Brenham. This bull was purchased by Mayfair Ranches of Brenham for \$2,100.00.

crop totaled 3.76 billion pounds, 10% below 1985. Average for harvest is up 5% from 1985 but dry weather in the southwest resulted in U.S. yield averaging 401 pounds per acre lower.

Sunflower: Production totaled 2.08 billion pounds, 15% below 1985 and 29% below 1984. Harvested area, at 1.96 million acres, dropped 31% from a year ago. Average yield increased 260 pounds from last year and is estimated at 1,360 pounds per acre.

Oilseed: Production of soybeans, cottonseed, peanuts, flaxseed, and sunflower combined totaled 61.3 million metric tons in 1986, down 6% from last year.

The 16 bulls were graded by four area commercial cattlemen Friday afternoon prior to the sale for sale order.

A large crowd of area commercial cattlemen were on hand for the Association's first sale. Henry Al Ellermann of Brenham was the auctioneer and Albert Harstark Jr., a Hereford breeder from Washington, was sales chairman.

Membership in the Washington County Beef Herd Improvement Association include registered beef breeders in Austin, Brazos, Burleson, Fayette, Grimes, Lee, Waller and Washington counties. Objectives of the Association are to provide the genetic improvement in beef cattle and merchandise superior cattle.

Performance information such as weaning and yearling weights and ratios were available on the 44 bulls sold.

The WCBHIA second all-breed performance bull sale is scheduled for Saturday, December 6, 1987 at the Fairgrounds in Brenham.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

San Antonio: Feb. 11, 1987 — Zebu cattle arrive

**IZBA Announces Zebu Cattle Show Schedule**

The International Zebu Brokers Association has announced its spring show schedule for 1987. IZBA-sponsored cattle shows will be held at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, and the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show in Mercedes.

Judges recently announced for three upcoming shows include:

San Antonio: Glenn Brinkmann, Brinkmann, Sistordale, TX.

Houston: Dr. James Sanders, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX.

Rio Grande Valley, Mercedes, TX: Dr. Randall Grooms, Texas A&M Experiment Station, Overton, TX.

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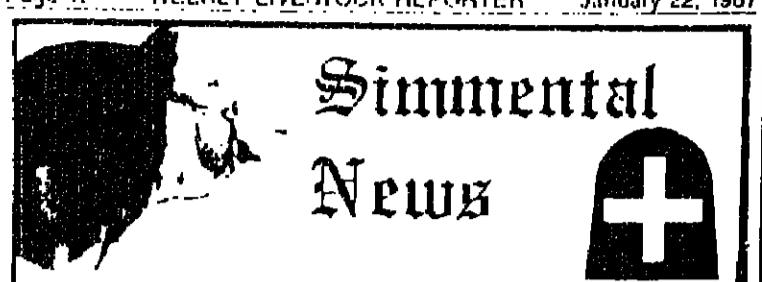
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Former NCA President To Address Simmental Convention

Bozeman, MT — Jo Ann Smith, Micavouy, Florida, the immediate past President of the National Cattlemen's Association, will headline the Cattlemen's Forum during the 19th Annual Meeting and Convention of the American Simmental Association. ASA's Convention will convene in Nashville, Tennessee February 19-21.

Smith served as NCA President during 1985, and currently serves as chairperson of the 113-member Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board. This group has the responsibility for administering the industry's national check-off and promotion program. She also is a member of President Reagan's Advisory Committee on Trade Negotiations. Her presentation is entitled "Influencing Demand for Beef."

The Cattlemen's Forum also includes a panel of producers who are involved in cattle feeding and packing. Moderated by Roy Wallace of Select Sires, Plain City, Ohio, the panel will discuss "Producing for the New Beef Industry." Members of the panel are Dr. Dean Danison, Coordinator of the American Light Beef Association, Auburn, Alabama; Max Deets, General Manager of Solomon Valley Feedlot, Beloit, Kansas; and Leon

Texas Jr. Simmental/ Simbrah Assn. Announces 1987 Heifer Futurity

The Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association has announced the date for its 1987 Heifer Futurity. The Futurity will be held March 28-29 at the Heart O' Texas Fairgrounds, Waco, Texas. The main events will take place on Saturday, March 28, with a Breakfast and Awards Banquet on Sunday, March 29.

Members of the Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association will compete in several different events including: a Herdsman Quiz... a National Sire Selector Quiz... Judging Contest with Oral Reasons to be given on place... Individual and Team Heifer Competition... Showmanship... a Sales Talk... and Beef Bowl. Belt buckles will be given to each event winner in both the Junior (13 and under) and senior (14 to 20) divisions, and all members of the first place Team Heifer Competition. A total of 30 belt buckles have been especially designed for the 1987 Heifer Futurity.

The top ten individuals at the Futurity will make up the two teams that represent Texas at the 1987 American Junior Simmental Association's Summer Classic (national futurity). This year the Summer Classic is scheduled for July 6-10, 1987 in Springfield, Missouri. Those Juniors that do not make the two representing teams are also encouraged to participate in the Classic. An estimate of traveling expenses for the Summer Classic will be available at the TJSSA Futurity for those interested.

Plans are underway to make this year's Futurity the biggest ever. The dual purpose Futurity combines both educational events and showing events.

Registration deadline is March 13, 1987 and the entry fee is \$20.00 per participant.

For more information concerning the Futurity or for entry applications contact the Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association, 12330 West Avenue, Suite 103, San Antonio, Texas 78216 (512) 942-4264.

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Simmental News



S Bar W Ranch Plans Simbrah Sale For Feb. 26

The well known and highly successful S Bar W Ranch near Woodville, TX will be holding a Simbrah & Simmental Production Sale on February 26, 1987 at the Fisherman's Wharf in Houston, TX. The sale will be held in conjunction with the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo, and the sale will begin at 6:00 p.m. on February 26. John Brown manager of the S Bar W Ranch stated that several Simbrah heifers, Simbrah pairs, and about ten exceptional Simmental bulls will be offered in the sale.

S Bar W Ranch recently received the breeders cup award for breeding the most Simbrah that was during the Simbrah Celebration on Nov. 14 & 15, (CONT. ON PAGE 13)

JO ANN SMITH.

Miller, President of Alta Verde Industries, Eagle Pass, Texas. Headquartered at the famed Opryland Hotel in Nashville, the Convention schedule offers a number of recreational events in addition to formal Convention activities. A river cruise on the General Jackson Showboat includes dinner and

delightful entertainment. And, no visit to Nashville would be complete without a trip to the Grand Ole Opry. The concluding event on the Convention schedule.

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Performance Proven on the Historic Pitchfork Ranch

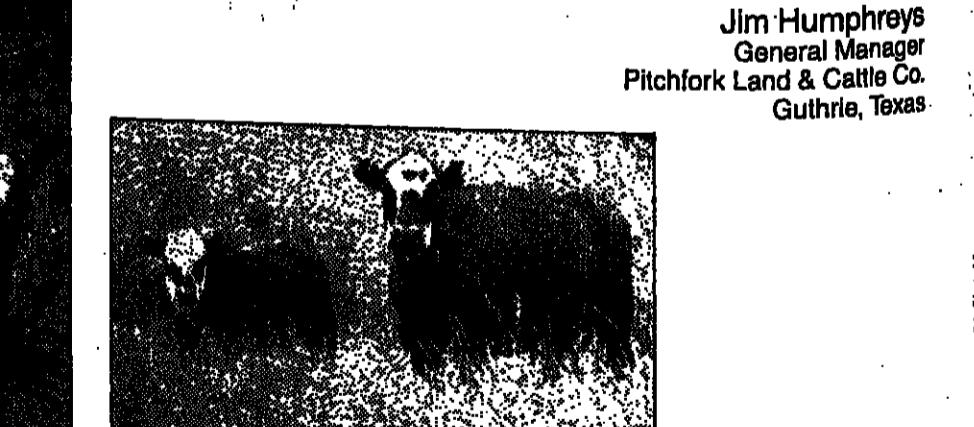
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For the last three years Simbrah bulls have been making their mark on some of the top black baldy cows on this historic 160,000 acre ranch. Located on the broken, rolling plains country of Northwest Texas, the Pitchfork is known for producing some of the best beef cattle in the nation. Simbrah bulls are now siring some of the best that the ranch has to offer.



"After weaning, we background the calves on wheat pasture and then ship them to our Flint hills ranch in Kansas. The Simbrah cross calves that we shipped this spring were standouts."



"On the strength of the last two years' Simbrah calf crops, I believe Simbrah bulls definitely have a strong future here on the Pitchfork."

Bob Moorhouse
Assistant Manager

SIMMENTAL/SIMBRAH ASSOCIATION

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Warren Garrett, Executive Secretary / Office: 512-342-4264

Quality Excellent At Oklahoma Simmental Sale

Ada, Okla. — Dec. 13 — The Oklahoma Simmental Association offered a very select set of properly conditioned, well bred, cowman's kind cattle. A feature of the sale was a lot of 1987 Future Heifers, each selling was eligible to return in 1986. These offerings will be from the heart of the herd and represent the top competitors for the Future Jack which promises to be an excellent purse. A fee of \$50 per heifer paid the consignor and \$50 paid by the buyer. The top heifer in this group was a 1-25-86, well grown girl, daughter of Signal consigned by Cucupita Farms, Chickasha, Ok. sold for \$2,000. The 20 Future Heifers averaged \$800. Only four were consigned, but the demand was good and the market was good, and the market could have found homes for more. (CONT. ON PAGE 13)

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day's top bull was a 4-15-86 son of Abriicot, consigned by the Waite Bros, Lenapeh, OK, that sold for \$2200. Three of the top in the fullblood females was lot 23, consigned by P&P Simmentals, Avant, OK that sold for \$2000. Two excellent daughters of Signal mated A.I. to Achilles Superstar, consigned by Shawn Lee

feelings about various matters.

Our biggest fault in the past has been that we have not been organized and had no direction because we could not agree on anything that the industry as a whole should propose to Congress by way of help.

This is not a request for a handout as the dairy industry has done, but is a request for favorable tax treatment which would in my opinion perhaps double the value of live unused animals immediately in the year of enactment.

To gain access to Congress, it cannot be a one-man campaign but must be pursued by every interested citizen from all directions. The stimulus which this bill will provide to the purbred cattle economy will be greater than any other that I have seen or heard of being proposed.

We cannot sit around on our hands and talk about our problems. We must act.

Will you please help in this campaign and give coverage to this idea which I think it deserves?

Thanking you for your courtesies and best wishes, I am

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Phone (517) 543-6670

Simmental/Simbrah Events

Jan. 31 — El Repos and Wentz Farming Co. Bull Sale, Hobbsville, TX

Feb. 21 — Range Bull Exchange Simbrah

Anderson, Prague, Ok., sold to Cimarron Farms, Chickasha, Ok., one of

\$1950 the others at \$1625.

Topping the Purchased Female offering was lot 39, a granddaughter of Extra, consigned by Stephen Simmentals, Roff, Ok., that brought \$1350.

A judging of the Future Heifers

was held prior to the auction. Gary

Cross, Bryan Texas was the judge and

added comments about each Future

Heifer during the auction.

The sale was managed by Waitu &

Waite Auction Service, Lenape, Ok.

and Ralph Waite has an excellent job

of selling the offering. Oklahoma Sim-

mentals Association officers Thurman

Stephens, Pres; Dr. Gary Updyke, V.

and Bill Joffery, Secy/Tres, were

on hand to assist with the auction.

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Americans drink 560 cups of coffee a

year.

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NEW STUFF — Every Third Week

Champion Of Champions Simmental/Simbrah Sale Set For February 27

Houston, Texas — The Champion of Champions Simmental/Simbrah Sale will be held Friday, February 27, 1987. Sale time is 4:30 p.m. at the Houston Stock Show and Rodeo Show Grounds.

Selling will be 25 fullblood and purebred Simmental and Simbrah cattle.

Auctioneer will be Joe Mitchell.

This is a TSSA Approved Sale. For information contact Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association, 12330 West Avenue, Suite 103, San Antonio, Texas 78216, Warren Garrett, Executive Secretary 512-342-4264.

Sale chairmen are Tom Rissinger and

Rusty Yates. Sale manager is Dean Taylor and

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4th Annual Livestock Performance Center Bull Sale, February 13

Castroville, Texas — The 4th Annual Livestock Performance Center All-Breed Bull Sale will be held Friday, February 13, 1987. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Livestock Performance Center at Castroville, Texas. Lunch will be at noon.

Selling will be 65 bulls including Brangus, Chianina, Simbrah, Simmental and Galloway.

Auctioneer will be Rohen Reyes.

Sale day phone is 512/677-8829. For information contact Homer Hudon, Box 529, Castroville, Texas 78009, 512/677-8829. Sale manager is Pierce Sales Company, Box 807, Bellville, Texas 77418, 409/865-9101.

The Brazos Valley All-Breed Bull Sale Set Jan. 24

Crockett, Texas — The Brazos Valley All-Breed Bull Sale will be held Saturday, January 24, 1987. Sale time is 12:00 noon at the East Texas Livestock Market, Inc., Crockett, Texas. The auction manager, Gayle Ingram, Box 679, Quitman, Texas 75783, Selling will be 100 registered bulls.

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ing this sale or Simmental cattle in general. Reyes and Mihalski are sale managers.

Sulphur Springs Monday

Sulphur Springs, TX, Jan. 19 (F-S) — Cattle and calves 1,160. Feeder steers and bulls steady to 2.00 higher. Feeder heifers uneven but mostly steady. Replacement cows steady to 1.00 lower. Cow/calf pairs not sufficiently tested. Slaughter cows fully steady. Slaughter bulls steady to 2.00 higher. Feeder steers and bulls:

Medium and large frame no. 1-2, 3-6 year olds 650-1200 lbs. with 160-300 lbs. calves 385.00-190.00. Slaughter cows: Utility 2-3, 35.00-42.50, low dressing 24.00-31.50, cutter 1-2, 30.50-37.00. Bulls: Yield grade no. 1-2 1000-1900 lbs. 41.00-53.00.

St. Paul Pigs

St. Paul, Jan. 19 (USDA) — Pigs fairly nicely firm, firm to \$3.00/lb. Bulk of supply U.S. 1-2, 40-60 lbs. All pigs sold on a per head basis: actual weights: U.S. 1-2, 30-40 lbs. 40.00-45.00, 40-50 lbs. 46.00-52.00, 50-60 lbs. 52.00-59.00, 60-80 lbs. 57.00-63.00.

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WEDNESDAY — JANUARY 28, 1987-10:00 A.M.

Reed Brothers Will Sell Out the Inventory of D&S Metals, Inc. at 10:00 A.M. Located at 3835 Singleton Blvd., Dallas, Texas.

THURSDAY — JANUARY 29, 1987 — Reed Brothers Will Sell Out the Inventory of Kingman Trailer Manufacturing and Knox Feeders Located 6 1/2 Miles North of Saginaw, Texas on Hwy. 287. Included in All Three Auctions Will be Industrial Machinery, Raw Materials, Trucks & Trailers, Office Furniture and Computers, Stock Feeders, Etc. Selling in the January 29 Auction will be a Collection of Guns and Gold Coins.

TERMS: Cash, Cashiers' Check or Check with Bank Letter of Guarantee. CONDUCTED BY: REED BROTHERS AUCTIONEERS, INC., 9901 IH West, Suite 620, San Antonio, Texas 78230. Phone: (512) 690-0904. Lic. No. TXS-117-006299



ANGUS News



\$185,400 to average \$1,197.

High selling bull was Pine Drive of 77, 2256. This March 1985 son of Pine Drive sold to D. J. Strange of Archer City for \$2,590.

Sparks Ranch of Ardmore, Oklahoma gave \$2,250 to own Pine Drive of 77, a March 1985 son of Pine Drive Big Sky. Powell Ranch of Meridian gave \$2,250 for 77 Northern Prospector, a September 1984 son of Prospector Prince 9 of 77.

Alex Sea of Waurika, Oklahoma gave \$2,200 to purchase Gabriel of 77, a October 1984 son of Black Gold Gabriel. Sea also paid \$2,200 for Mr. Angus of 77, an October 1984 son of Mr. Angus Hilltop Angus Ranch of Iowa Park, Texas gave \$1,650 to purchase the high selling bred heifer, Black Queen Belle of 77, a February 1984 daughter of High Voltage that sold safe in calf to ROK.

D. Strange gave \$1,650 to own Rosebud Lass 4 of 77, a September 1984

Louisiana Angus Bull Sale Set For January 24

Marksville, La. — The 27th Annual Louisiana Angus Association Bull Sale will be held Saturday, January 24, 1987. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at Cattlemen's Stockyard at Marksville, Louisiana.

This bull offering will be at least 20 months of age and not exceeding 40 months and will weigh 1,100 or more on sale day.

For information contact C. L. Flowers, Sale Manager, 291 Albert Hart Drive, Baton Rouge, La. 70808, 504/703-2801.

Lafin Ranch Angus Sets Production Sale, February 14
Olsburg, Kansas — The Lafin Ranch Registered and Commercial Opportunity Angus Production Sale will be held Saturday, February 14, 1987. Sale time is 12:00 noon at the ranch at Olsburg, Kansas. Selling will be 33 registered Angus cows bred for spring calves to the 14 (CONTINUE ON PAGE 16)

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1 P.M. Texas Angus Futurity cattle arena sale pavilion

5 P.M. Texas Angus Assn. Annual Meeting and Election, Hilton Inn

6:30 P.M. Texas Angus Assn. Cocktail Reception, Hilton Inn

7:30 P.M. Texas Angus Breders Directory Auction, Buffet Dinner and Entertainment

Sunday, February 1, 1987

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Contact the sale manager for catalog and information:

Sale Managers:

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Laffin Ranch Angus Sets Production Sale, February 14

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Also selling will be 15 Angus and Red Angus bulls.

For information contact Laffin Ranch, Olidborg, Kansas 66520, 913/468-3529, or the Sale Manager, O'Brien Sales Service, 816/762-3717.

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Ranch of Briggs, Texas, is another four-year-old with a good deal of progeny information. His EPD of +6.8 pounds for birth weight, +29.3 pounds for weaning weight, and +73.2 pounds for yearling weight, demonstrates his ability to pass inheritance for rapid growth on to his offspring.

The third new arrival, Harts Wild Turkey 5020, is a yearling with an already impressive show record. This grandson of Mr. Angus was bred by Bradley Hart of Fredrick, S.D., and is owned by a group headed by Weaver Angus Ranch of Peoria, Ill. He was made Junior Bull Calf Champion at the 1986 Angus Sire Evaluation report with an Expected Progeny Difference (EPD) of +26.7 pounds for weaning weight and +39.2 pounds for yearling weight. His EPD for birth weight is +6.8 pounds. Rito 21001 is a great grandson of the former ABS bull 707 of Ideal 13/170. R & J Dallas 762, bred by R & J

by contacting American Breeders Service, Box 459, DeForest, WI 53118-3751.

New Bulls Join ABS Angus Battery

Two Angus bulls with impressive progeny records and a national show champion have recently joined the lineup of bulls at American Breeders Service, reports Keith Vander Voerde, Manager of Beef Programs for the firm. Gartner Denowh Angus Ranch's Rito 21001 G D A R ranks very high in the 1986 Angus Sire Evaluation report with an Expected Progeny Difference (EPD) of +26.7 pounds for weaning weight and +39.2 pounds for yearling weight. His EPD for birth weight is +6.8 pounds. Rito 21001 is a great grandson of the former ABS bull 707 of Ideal 13/170. R & J Dallas 762, bred by R & J

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New Angus Event Scheduled April 17-18 At Altus, Okla.

A new and exciting Angus event is scheduled for next April 17 and 18 at the fairgrounds in Altus, Oklahoma. The event, which is sponsored by the Altus Chamber of Commerce, is the Great American Invitational Show and Sale.

An Invitational Junior Show will be held on Saturday, April 17th. All Junior Angus breeders are invited to take part in the show. There will be classes for Angus bulls, heifers and registered steers, and serving as judge will be Jake White, Laurel, Mississippi.

Saturday, April 18th is the date of the Great American Invitational Sale. The sale offering will be made up of top quality Angus cattle. The entry deadline for the show and sale is February 1, 1987.

For more information and entry blanks, contact Pat or Norma O'Bryan, Route 3, Box 248, Pawnee, Oklahoma 74088.

Letters to the Editor

To the editor: December 1986
Here is an innovative solution to the farm crisis, promising better than do-meaning dependency, or the huge expense of traditional farm programs that solve little. The goal is to improve markets both here and abroad. The way is by federally mandating a balance in foreign trade, rendering harmless all forms of existing trade adversity.

Today's crisis is a creation of our own government, responsible for decades of economic assistance to needy nations. Instead of creating new markets for U.S. products, our foreign aid and support for world bank loans have unwittingly closed off flooded old markets, both domestic and foreign. The cost has reached untold billions of dollars and millions of jobs, despite the obvious that there is more profit in selling than in buying. Developing nations have been quick to learn this to our growing disadvantage.

It will take a new federal law to indirectly require other nations to buy as much from us as we buy from them, in dollar amounts. When periodic monitoring determines that a nation is buying less, new orders for their goods and services are to be delayed until trade is again in balance. The exception under the law will be positive trade imbalances in our favor. This mandated lapse in commerce, or the threat of it, will spur the sale of all American products, but most particularly beef and processed food. Nothing has greater universal demand to facilitate re-sale of surplus purchases.

Despite their having to buy more of our products for trade parity, other nations will continue to find U.S. markets the most lucrative in the world. Their profits will be in jeopardy, however.

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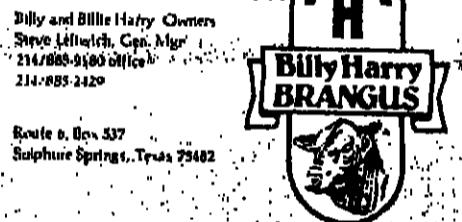
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March 7 — B & L Family Jewel Sale, Shawnee, OK

March 8 — BL 1st Angus Prod. Sale, Tucumcari, OK

March 9 — Drake Farms Prod. Sale, Davis, OK

March 14 — Clear Creek Angus Prod. Sale, Gilmer, TX

March 21 — East Texas Assn. Sale, Lufkin, TX

March 21 — Riverside Farms "Sale of Natural Resources Vol. II" Hamilton, TX

March 28 — Belle Point Ranch Production Sale, Lavaca, AR

April 4 — Gardner Ranch Prod. Sale, Ashland, KS

April 4 — R & J Production Sale, Briggs, TX

April 11 — Jac's Ranch Prod. Sale, Bentonia, AR

May 2 — Pecan Valley Production Sale, Mexia, TX

May 4 — Briscoe Angus Dispersal, Yukon, OK

June 6 — Top of Texas Sale, Industry, TX

Aug. 2 — 30th Ann. All American Angus Futurity, Louisville, KY

Aug. 22 — Granada Gala, Houston, TX

Sept. 21 — Premier Angus Production Sale, Cleveland, Ind.

Oct. 2 — Larkin Bailey "LBB" Sale, Tulsa, OK

Oct. 7 — Bear Creek Sale, Cameron, MT

Oct. 17 — Riverside Farms Fall Sale, Hamilton, TX

Oct. 28 — Northeast Triple Crown Sale, Forest, VA

Nov. 7 — Woodstone Prod. Sale, Hackett, AR

Nov. 14 — Mong Production Sale, Bowling Green, KY

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Crude Production Down In August

Austin — Texas crude oil production averaged 2,061,015 barrels daily in August, according to preliminary figures released by Railroad Commission Chairman James E. (Jim) Nugent. The preliminary Texas oil production figure for August 1986 was 63,891,478 barrels, down from 65,360,523 barrels in July.

salvageable only by discontinuing unfair trade practices that impede our exports, something years of trade negotiations have failed to achieve.

Not often do we see a federal law proposed that does so much, for so many, for so little. But Congress will do it only if asked repeatedly! — Donald J. Aldrich, 4513 Sierra View Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95828, (916) 961-1813.

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Laffin Ranch Angus Sets Production Sale, February 14

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ball Brinks Norris, 34 registered Red Angus cows bred for spring calves to "Solid Gold" bulls" and selling will be 28 registered heifers bred to Hydraulic Jack.

Also selling will be 15 Angus and Red Angus bulls.

For information contact Laffin Ranch, Olidborg, Kansas 66520, 913/468-3529, or the Sale Manager, O'Brien Sales Service, 816/762-3717.

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American Chianina Association Ladies Auxiliary Scholarships

The American Chianina Association Ladies Auxiliary would like all graduating high school seniors to consider submitting an application to receive one of the three \$1,000 scholarships presented each year by the ladies auxiliary. The scholarships are awarded to one girl, boy and the next top applicant.

Applicants must be a junior member of the American Chianina Association and a graduating senior at the time of application. Interested seniors should apply to Judy Pannell, 1878 West Grantville Road, Grantville, Georgia 30221. Deadline for application is April 1, 1987. Recipients will be announced at the National Junior Heifer Show banquet in August. The 1987 National Junior Heifer Show will be held in Rapid City, South Dakota.

Chianina Events . . .

Feb. 8 — Golden's Point Chianus Dispersal, Chickasha, OK
Feb. 13 — 10th Annual Southwest 40/40 Show and Sale, San Antonio, TX
Feb. 24 — Fullblood Sale, Houston, TX

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NCA Convention Program To Answer Cattlemen's Questions

Denver — Cattlemen attending the 1987 convention of the National Cattlemen's Assn. will get answers to timely questions on the cattle business and on industry and government affairs. Tom Butler, NCA president, said today.

Some 6,000 persons are expected to attend the convention and trade show to be held Jan. 26-18 in Reno, Nev.

The overall industry situation and outlook will be examined at a Jan. 28 session sponsored by CattleFax, a market information service associated with NCA. Speakers will include CattleFax staff members: Ken Mon-

fort, president of Monfort of Colorado, Inc., and Art Douglas, Creighton University, one of the nation's leading long-range weather forecasters.

An education program on Jan. 27 will answer cattlemen's questions on the new \$1 beef check-off. Panel members will be Jo Ann Smith, chairman of the Beef Promotion and Research Board; Bob Iehholtz, Beef Promotion Operating Committee member and chairman of the Beef Industry Council's promotion committee; and Gary Enright, Beef Board coordinator.

"The Impact of the New Tax Law on You" will be the subject of a panel discussion headed by Jimmy Powell, chairman of the NCA tax committee. Panel members will include Sam Guyton, Denver tax attorney, and a cow-calf operator and a feeder.

Leading national political figures will be featured on "Live from Washington — Meet the Decision Makers." Answering cattlemen's questions, via satellite and large screen in Reno, will be Ambassador Clayton Yeutter, U.S. trade representative; Congressman Dick Cheney (R., Wyo.); and other lawmakers, to be announced.

At a session on "The Battle Against Misconceptions," cattle men and women will get information and advice they can use to help clear up misconceptions (such as fat and cholesterol content of beef cuts) about beef. Susan Peterson, Washington-based communications and media consultant, will demonstrate ways to com-

municate the true facts about beef's healthfulness.

An educational session on "Getting Control of the Commodity" will help cattlemen identify their best profit opportunity in the changing cattle and beef business. Fred Knop, Drovers' Journal, will moderate a panel which will include Russell Cross, Texas A&M University meat scientist; Roy Wallace, Select Sires, Inc., and a packer to be named.

A series of seminars on enterprise analysis and use of computers is scheduled for Jan. 27-28. This "Butter Business Management" series, which involves a special fee, will be directed by James Cuthorn, University of California economist and business management expert. Others working with cattlemen in these sessions will be Mike Bradley, Avera Fjord and Glenn Nader, University of California; and C. Wilson Gray and Neil Rimby, University of Idaho.

Speakers at the convention's opening session on Jan. 26 will include NCA president Butler and Richard Wirthlin, opinion pollster for President Reagan.

For convention registration and other information, contact the NCA convention department, P.O. Box 3468, Englewood, Colo. 80155 (303-984-0305).

In 1610, Captain Samuel Argall was blown off course near a cape on our Eastern seaboard. He named it for his sponsor, Lord DeLaWarr. It became the state of Delaware.

Livestock Slaughter, Meat Production

Washington, Jan. 16 (USDA) — Total red meat production under federal inspection for the week ending 1-17-87 was estimated at 810.3 million pounds. This was 1.3% above a week ago and 1.7% above a year ago.

Production (Mll. Lbs.)

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Golden's Point Chianus Sale Set For Feb. 8

Chickasha, Okla. — The Golden's Point Chianus Dispersal will be held Sunday, Feb. 8, 1987. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at OK Cow Sales at Chickasha, Okla.

Selling will be 10 cow/calf pairs, 20 bred heifers and two herd bulls including "Target." All cows in this offering are registered Chianus, many are 3rd, 4th and 5th generation.

The sale will feature the get and service of Black Power and his sons, Target, Bandit and Total Power.

For information, contact Golden's Point, Larry and Oscar Golden, Rt. 2, Lockney, Texas 79241, (806) 682-3196.

Continental Leases

North American Auction Center

In a joint statement issued recently by Curt Rodgers of North American Auction Co. and Jerry Bedach, President of Continental Livestock Services, it was made public that effective January 1st, Continental Livestock Services will be headquartered at the Plate City, Missouri facility and they will be in charge of all future activities there. This major complex has long been established as one of the leading pedigreed livestock marketing centers in the United States. Bedach also announced that Bud Sloun, a prominent figure in the livestock industry, has been appointed as the new General Manager for Continental Livestock Services and will be responsible for conducting their sales management events and coordinating all activities at the sales center. Sloun indicates the facility will be available for use by all breeds and future plans are to further enhance the location as one of the premier sales and promotional centers in the industry. The new number for the livestock center is (417) 431-6806.

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1-23-1987 Goliad Cattle Expo National Sale, National Western, Denver, CO
1-23-Syler Sales Brangus Bull Sale, Sulphur Springs, TX, S/M Syler Sales Mgmt
1-24-37th Annual Louisiana Angus Assn. Bull Sale, Marksville, LA
1-24-Associated Beefmaster Bull & Female Sale, Hempstead, TX
1-24-The Brazos Valley All-Breed Bull Sale, Crockett, TX
1-25-Oklahoma Hereford Assn. Bull Sale, Durant, OK, S/M Guy Schell
Reed Brothers Auction will sell out the inventory of Rhine Products, Dallas, TX
1-26-Reed Brothers Auction will sell out the inventory of D & S Metals, Dallas, TX
1-27-Reed Brothers Auction will sell out the inventory of Kingman Trailer Manufacturing & Knox Feeders, Saginaw, TX
1-28-90th Annual Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo, Fort Worth, TX
1-29-Reed Brothers Auction will sell out the inventory of Kingman Trailer Manufacturing & Knox Feeders, Saginaw, TX

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1-29-Lone Star Beefmaster "Cowtown Classic" Fort Worth, TX
1-30-JHBA Beefmaster Heifer Show, Southwestern Expo, Fort Worth, TX
1-31-Syler Sales All-Breed Bull Sale, Sulphur, TX, S/M Syler Sales Mgmt
1-31-Ely Reppon & Wentz Farming Co. Simbrah Range Bull & Replacement Female Sale, Heldenville, TX
1-31-Harrell Cattle Co. Simbrah's All-Breed Range Bull Sale, Gonzales, TX
1-31-Osceola Brangus Bull Sale, San Angelo, TX
1-31-Progressive Brangus Bull & Female Sale, Fort Worth, TX, S/M Ash Marketing
1-31-The Athens All-Breed Bull Sale, Athens, TX
1-31-Texas Angus Futurity Show & Sale, Fort Worth, TX
1-31-Cowtown Basic Shorthorn Sale, Fort Worth Stock Show
2-1-Commercial Hereford Female Sale, Fort Worth, TX
2-1-National Marine-Angus Classic Sale, Fort Worth, TX
2-2-1987 Lone Star Polled Hereford Review, Fort Worth, TX
2-5-The National Polled Santa Gertrudis Sale, Fort Worth, TX
2-6-Texas Longhorn Assn. National Show, 7:00 PM, Fort Worth, TX
2-7-Giant Brangus Sale, Industry, TX
2-7-Fort Worth Stock Show Quarter Horse Sale, Barn 8, Fort Worth, TX
2-7-The Texas All-Breed Bull Sale, Mt. Vernon, TX

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2-7-Southeastern Beefmaster Carolinas Bull & Female Sale, Anderson, SC
2-7-La Major & Triple J Ranch Beefmaster Bull Sale, Sulphur, TX
2-8-500 Head Stacy Beefmaster Sale, Pleasanton, TX, S/M Leo Casius
2-8-Golden Point Chik-Angus Dispersal, OK Cow Sales, Chickasha, OK
2-10-Southeastern Beefmaster Sale, Montgomery, AL
2-13-16th Annual Southwest Rugian 40th Anniversary Show & Sale, Sun Antonio, TX
2-14-Performance Tested Brangus Bull Sale, Castroville, TX
2-14-Oklahoma Angus Assn. Board Meeting, Oklahoma City, OK
2-14-Calf Ranch Commercial & Registered Angus, Red Angus & Brangus Calf & Bull Sale, Oldshay, KS
2-14—"Focus on the Future" Sales Sale, Dickinson, ND
2-14-Gulf Coast Hereford Assn. 37th Annual Spring Sale, Brenham, TX
2-14-Gulf Coast Beefmaster Sale, Wharton, TX
2-14-TK Brangus Prod. Sale, San Antonio, TX
2-14-South Texas Beefmaster Sale, San Antonio, TX
2-14-The Rodland All-Breed Bull Sale, New Summerfield, TX
2-14-Gamble Creek Beefmaster "Winning Hand III Sale" Parrish, FL
2-15-Wright Cattle Co. Brangus Dispersal, Castroville, TX
2-17-East Texas Brangus Assn. Bull Sale, Crockett, TX
2-17/20-American Goliad Assn. National Convention, Baton Rouge, LA
2-18-O.K. & T. Angus Assn. 46th Annual Show & Sale, Buffalo, OK
2-18-Southeastern Beefmaster Dixie Nat'l Futurity & Sale, Jackson, MS
2-19-Texas Charolais Sales Corp. Sale, Pleasanton, TX
2-19-Texas Charolais Sales Corp. 27th Annual Sale, Castroville, TX
2-20-LSU Open Goliad Show, Baton Rouge, LA

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3-24-Houston Livestock Show Brokers and Salers Sale, Super Sale Salons, 5:00 PM, Houston, TX
3-24-Fullblood Chianina Sale, Super Sale Salons, 2:00 PM, Houston, TX
3-25-Blonde d' Aquitaine Foundation Open Breeding Show, Houston, TX
3-26-Phase I of the Brangus Event Show Prospect Sale, Astro Village, Houston, TX, SM John Joyce
3-26-Houston Livestock Show Registered All-Breed Range Bull Sale, Auction Sale Ring, 2:00 PM, Houston, TX
3-26-American Brahman Breeders Assn. Sale, Houston Stock Show, Houston, TX
3-26-Lone Star Livestock Show Brokers and Salers Sale, Super Sale Salons, 5:00 PM, Houston, TX
3-26-S-B Bar W's Sensuous 60 Simbrah Prod. Sale, 6:00 PM, Fishermans Wharf, Houston, TX
3-26-The Hustler Cartel Santa Gertrudis Sale, Houston, TX, S/M Superior Cattle Sales
3-27-The Cattlemen with Prids Beefmaster Sale, Houston, TX
3-27-Champion of Champions Simbrah & Simbrah Sale, Super Sale Salons, 4:30 PM, Houston, TX, SM Dean Taylor
3-27-Houston Charolais Sale, Super Sale Salons, 4:00 PM, Houston, TX

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3-27-Horlock Beefmaster Sale, Houston, TX
3-28-Ed Rinehart Farm Equipment Dispersal, To Settle Estate with Guest Consignors, Gail, TX, S/M Lummmer Auction Service

3-28-Gulf Coast Texas Longhorn Breeders Assn. "The Gathering" Sale, Houston, TX

3-28-C G & T Land & Cattle Co. Salers Prod. Sale, Quinter, KS

3-28-Houston Stock Show Texas Longhorn Sale, Auction Sale Arena, 12:00 PM, Houston, TX

3-28-The Four Corner All-Breed Bull Sale, Texarkana, TX

3-28-12th Annual Polled Santa Gertrudis Sale, Houston, TX, S/M Superior Cattle Sales

3-28-Mid-Coast Santa Gertrudis Super Sale, Houston, TX, S/M Superior Cattle Sales

3-28-South Texas Beefmaster Houston Futurity & Sale, Houston, TX

3-1—"Astro Classic" Beefmaster Sale, Houston, TX

3-2-Healy Bros. Flying L Hereford Prod. Sale, Davis, OK

3-5-Turner Valley Salers Bull Sale, Highwood Auction Market, High River, Alberta

3-7-Kentucky National Shorthorn Sale, Louisville, KY, S/M Cagwin Cattle Services

3-7-B & L Ranch Angus Annual "Family Jewels" Sale, Shawnee, OK

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3-7-Horizon Brangus Sale, Flynn, TX

3-8-John Spikes Beefmaster Dispersal, Beville, TX

3-8-BLC Ranch 1st Angus Prod. Sale, Tecumseh, OK

3-9-Drake Farms Annual Angus Prod. Sale, Davis, OK

3-11-Idaho Salers Sale, OK Livestock Exchange, Caldwell, ID

3-13-Blonde Spring Classic Show & Sale, Victoria, TX

3-14-Greater Hill Country Hereford Sale, Fredericksburg, TX

3-14-Ramos Polled Hereford Sale, Laredo, TX

3-14—"Show Me Classic" Salers Sale, Missouri State Fair Grounds, Sedalia, MO

3-14-Spring Plate Shorthorn, Chatsworth, GA, S/M Cagwin Cattle Services

3-14-Over Yonder & Double J Ranches Santa Gertrudis Sale, Tyler, TX, S/M

3-14-R & W Cattle Co. Brangus Prod. Sale, Brenham, TX, S/M Pierce Sales Co.

3-14-Brown & Johnson Beefmaster Bull Sale, Comanche, OK

3-14-The Choctaw Nation All-Breed Bull Sale, McAllen, TX

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:
The December 6th issue of the Sturgis, SD Tri-State Livestock News, carried a front page story which was captioned "NCA President Don Butler tells S. D. Livestock Assn. the mere has gotten the message - the industry wants changes." The story states that Jack Sanders Chairman of the Board of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange (CME) understands that the cattle industry is disturbed and wants some changes.

On page 2 of the Droyer's Journal (Dec. 19th issue) the caption reads "CME host 30 feeders for discussions on futures." It seems that the National Cattlemen's Association (NCA) Feeder Council Chairman Bob Hale, led a group of feeders (mainly farmer feeders) on a two day tour of the CME.

Mr. Hale is credited in this article as implying that a problem will exist if the NCA is expending time and money trying to delete futures. "When our real enemy is demand, it will be a sad commentary if we lead the charge over the hill to eliminate live cattle futures when our enemy is sitting on top of the other hill."

Now the Merc may have gotten the message, but apparently Don Butler (NCA President) and Bob Hale haven't. When 69% of your constituency tells you in no uncertain terms, that they want futures terminated it seems that is what leadership should be aiming for. Through their comments both Hale and Butler seem to be trying to condition the membership of NCA to accept compliance.

This past spring when the cattlemen of this country rose up in indignation against the cattle futures market, the NCA took cover behind a Congressional investigation, which generally buys sufficient time to put an issue of old age. This time around however, enough people, from the various subsets of production, have been educated about the deleterious effect futures have on the real market, that they will not be easily placated.

Since NCA asked Congress for an investigation, before they polled their membership to see if they had a consensus for such a course of action, it would be prudent to first see the results of the Government Accounting Office's (GAO) investigation before you made any "deal" with the CME. NCA's first responsibility should be to urge Congress to give the GAO all the funding necessary to accomplish an indepth, comprehensive investigation. I hear that GAO are wanting to do just that, but are pinched for both dollars and people with the right background to do the job.

This past summer, legislation was introduced in the House, which would have allowed producers to vote in a referendum to determine if cattle futures should be allowed to trade. This fall, in the Senate, an amendment was introduced to delist cattle futures. NCA took no position on either action, rather leadership stated that having asked Congress for an investigation, all credibility with Congress would be lost if support was offered either approach before the results of the GAO investigation were in. If NCA leadership continues to "manage" the futures issue as they have since last April, they may wind up with some Congressional credibility and very little membership.

As for the demand problem Mr. Hale sees on the hill, we have been assured that NCA's \$80,000.00 checkoff program will address that. The futures problem on the other hill, which seem to be an opposition to both Don Butler and Bob Hale, is very real to the 69% majority of NCA's members who are not NCA members.

What "hidden agenda" does NCA leadership have that now, given a chance to respond to the real grassroot direction given it by the membership, that they will not answer in a more positive manner?

It seems to me that at some point NCA could really do itself proud by doing the following:

1. Ask Congress to immediately suspend trading in both live and feeder cattle futures for this coming year, while the GAO study is on.

2. Re-emphasize the urgency of completing a demand study by the GAO conducted in a cooperative effort by NCA and

Australian Bushfires Destroy Grazing Land, Livestock

BY DR. MARCUS HOEL, Sydney

Veterinarian Fined \$40,000 For Attempted Fraud

Washington, Dec. 17 - An Alabama veterinarian has been fined \$40,000 and placed on two years probation for violating federal animal health rules in an attempt to defraud the federal government, a U.S. Department of Agriculture official reports.

Dr. Austin C. Newman of Dothan, Ala., was sentenced Nov. 12 by judge of the U.S. Middle District of Alabama. In a trial by jury, Newman was found guilty on four counts of attempting to defraud the U.S. Department of Agriculture and on two counts of mail fraud, according to Bert W. Hawkins, administrator of USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

The fraud charge centered around

Newman's attempt to secure federal indemnity payments for a herd of cattle that became infected with brucellosis, a contagious cattle disease.

As part of a cooperative state-federal

brucellosis eradication program, USDA

requires that cattle infected with the disease be sent to slaughter. Owners

are paid an indemnity to help compensate for their losses.

Newman filed four indemnity claims with USDA for his diseased cattle between 1980 and 1981. Newman sought the indemnity rate for purebred animals - \$727 - for each of the 30 cattle sent to slaughter. In fact, the infected animals were grade cows - not purebred - and Newman should have been paid for and been compensated at the indemnity rate of \$482 for each animal.

To support his claim for the purebred indemnity rate, Newman had obtained duplicate registration certificates for purebred cattle he had previously owned and had already sold. He submitted the registration certificates with his request for indemnity payments for the infected grade cows. Since Newman requested that the duplicate registration certificates used in the attempted fraud be mailed to him, he also opened himself to the charges of mail fraud.

Newman had previously pled guilty to a 1979 charge of interstate transport of diseased animals.

In addition to receiving the fine and a two-year suspended prison term, Newman lost his federal veterinary accreditation, which is required for veterinarians to practice in participation with state and federal animal health programs. The rules of accreditation require veterinarians to adhere to strict standards of performance.

National Feeder Pig Summary

St. Joseph, Jan. 18 (USDA) - National Feeder Pig receipts this week 38,000, last week 41,000, year-to-date 38,000. Feeder pig auctions very uneven this week, midwestern markets steady to 5.00 lower except Sioux City and Omaha steady to 10.00 higher.

Iowa auctions 6,761. Per Head, US 1-2 34.39 lbs. 46.80-50.50, 41-49 lbs. 47.00-56.00, 50-59 lbs. 50.75-60.25, 61-68 lbs. 53.00-62.25, 75-79 lbs. 69.00-68.00, 80-87 lbs. 63.00-71.50.

Illinois direct 4,000. Per Head, US 1-2 40-45 lbs. 47.25-57.25, 50-60 lbs. 51.50-60.50, 60-80 lbs. 67.25-83.25.

Sioux Falls 4,000. Per Head, US 1-2 40-50 lbs. 36.00-39.50, 30-40 lbs. 41.00-54.00, 40-60 lbs. 46.00-52.00, 60-65 lbs. 48.50-58.00, 60-70 lbs. 66.00-69.00, 70-80 lbs. 68.50-67.00, 80-115 lbs. 63.00-68.00.

Sioux City 1,000. Per Head, US 1-2 23 lbs. 31.00, 30-40 lbs. 44.00-51.00, 40-50 lbs. 48.00-56.50, 50-60 lbs. 66.00-63.00, 60-70 lbs. 58.50-66.00, 70-80 lbs. 65.00-69.75, 80-100 lbs. 70.50-71.25, 126 lbs. 74.50.

St. Joseph 1,400. Per Head, US 1-2 30-40 lbs. 32.50-41.00, 40-50 lbs. 41.00-49.00, 50-55 lbs. 46.50-50.00, 55-60 lbs. 49.00-56.50, 60-70 lbs. 68.00-63.50, 70-80 lbs. 58.00-65.50, 80-95 lbs. 61.50-70.00, 115-135 lbs. 73.00-75.00.

Southern Missouri 2,800. Per Head, US 1-2 30-35 lbs. 35.00-39.50, 35-40 lbs. 39.50-46.50 lbs. 43.00-50.00, 50-60 lbs. 49.00-54.00, 60-80 lbs. 53.00-58.00.

Arkansas 130. Per Head, US 1-2 38-38 lbs. 33.30-37.05, 38-40 lbs. 38.00-42.00, 40-45 lbs. 42.00-46.00, 45-50 lbs. 48.00-52.00, 50-55 lbs. 52.00-56.00, 55-60 lbs. 56.00-60.00, 60-65 lbs. 60.00-64.00, 65-70 lbs. 64.00-68.00, 70-75 lbs. 68.00-72.00, 75-80 lbs. 72.00-76.00, 80-85 lbs. 76.00-80.00, 85-90 lbs. 80.00-84.00, 90-95 lbs. 84.00-88.00, 95-100 lbs. 88.00-92.00, 100-105 lbs. 92.00-96.00, 105-110 lbs. 96.00-100.00, 110-115 lbs. 100.00-104.00, 115-120 lbs. 104.00-108.00, 120-125 lbs. 108.00-112.00, 125-130 lbs. 112.00-116.00, 130-135 lbs. 116.00-120.00, 135-140 lbs. 120.00-124.00, 140-145 lbs. 124.00-128.00, 145-150 lbs. 128.00-132.00, 150-155 lbs. 132.00-136.00, 155-160 lbs. 136.00-140.00, 160-165 lbs. 140.00-144.00, 165-170 lbs. 144.00-148.00, 170-175 lbs. 148.00-152.00, 175-180 lbs. 152.00-156.00, 180-185 lbs. 156.00-160.00, 185-190 lbs. 160.00-164.00, 190-195 lbs. 164.00-168.00, 195-200 lbs. 168.00-172.00, 200-205 lbs. 172.00-176.00, 205-210 lbs. 176.00-180.00, 210-215 lbs. 180.00-184.00, 215-220 lbs. 184.00-188.00, 220-225 lbs. 188.00-192.00, 225-230 lbs. 192.00-196.00, 230-235 lbs. 196.00-200.00, 235-240 lbs. 200.00-204.00, 240-245 lbs. 204.00-208.00, 245-250 lbs. 208.00-212.00, 250-255 lbs. 212.00-216.00, 255-260 lbs. 216.00-220.00, 260-265 lbs. 220.00-224.00, 265-270 lbs. 224.00-228.00, 270-275 lbs. 228.00-232.00, 275-280 lbs. 232.00-236.00, 280-285 lbs. 236.00-240.00, 285-290 lbs. 240.00-244.00, 290-295 lbs. 244.00-248.00, 295-300 lbs. 248.00-252.00, 300-305 lbs. 252.00-256.00, 305-310 lbs. 256.00-260.00, 310-315 lbs. 260.00-264.00, 315-320 lbs. 264.00-268.00, 320-325 lbs. 268.00-272.00, 325-330 lbs. 272.00-276.00, 330-335 lbs. 276.00-280.00, 335-340 lbs. 280.00-284.00, 340-345 lbs. 284.00-288.00, 345-350 lbs. 288.00-292.00, 350-355 lbs. 292.00-296.00, 355-360 lbs. 296.00-300.00, 360-365 lbs. 300.00-304.00, 365-370 lbs. 304.00-308.00, 370-375 lbs. 308.00-312.00, 375-380 lbs. 312.00-316.00, 380-385 lbs. 316.00-320.00, 385-390 lbs. 320.00-324.00, 390-395 lbs. 324.00-328.00, 395-400 lbs. 328.00-332.00, 400-405 lbs. 332.00-336.00, 405-410 lbs. 336.00-340.00, 410-415 lbs. 340.00-344.00, 415-420 lbs. 344.00-348.00, 420-425 lbs. 348.00-352.00, 425-430 lbs. 352.00-356.00, 430-435 lbs. 356.00-360.00, 435-440 lbs. 360.00-364.00, 440-445 lbs. 364.00-368.00, 445-450 lbs. 368.00-372.00, 450-455 lbs. 372.00-376.00, 455-460 lbs. 376.00-380.00, 460-465 lbs. 380.00-384.00, 465-470 lbs. 384.00-388.00, 470-475 lbs. 388.00-392.00, 475-480 lbs. 392.00-396.00, 480-485 lbs. 396.00-400.00, 485-490 lbs. 400.00-404.00, 490-495 lbs. 404.00-408.00, 495-500 lbs. 408.00-412.00, 500-505 lbs. 412.00-416.00, 505-510 lbs. 416.00-420.00, 510-515 lbs. 420.00-424.00, 515-520 lbs. 424.00-428.00, 520-525 lbs. 428.00-432.00, 525-530 lbs. 432.00-436.00, 530-535 lbs. 436.00-440.00, 535-540 lbs. 440.00-444.00, 540-545 lbs. 444.00-448.00, 545-550 lbs. 448.00-452.00, 550-555 lbs. 452.00-456.00, 555-560 lbs. 456.00-460.00, 560-565 lbs. 460.00-464.00, 565-570 lbs. 464.00-468.00, 570-575 lbs. 468.00-472.00, 575-580 lbs. 472.00-476.00, 580-585 lbs. 476.00-480.00, 585-590 lbs. 480.00-484.00, 590-595 lbs. 484.00-488.00, 595-600 lbs. 488.00-492.00, 600-605 lbs. 492.00-496.00, 605-610 lbs. 496.00-500.00, 610-615 lbs. 500.00-504.00, 615-620 lbs. 504.00-508.00, 620-625 lbs. 508.00-512.00, 625-630 lbs. 512.00-516.00, 630-635 lbs. 516.00-520.00, 635-640 lbs. 520.00-524.00, 640-645 lbs. 524.00-528.00, 645-650 lbs. 528.00-532.00, 650-655 lbs. 532.00-536.00, 655-660 lbs. 536.00-540.00, 660-665 lbs. 540.00-544.00, 665-670 lbs. 544.00-548.00, 670-675 lbs. 548.00-552.00, 675-680 lbs. 552.00-556.00, 680-685 lbs. 556.00-560.00, 685-690 lbs. 560.00-564.00, 690-695 lbs. 564.00-568.00, 695-700 lbs. 568.00-572.00, 700-705 lbs. 572.00-576.00, 705-710 lbs. 576.00-580.00, 710-715 lbs. 580.00-584.00, 715-720 lbs. 584.00-588.00, 720-725 lbs. 588.00-592.00, 725-730 lbs. 592.00-596.00, 730-735 lbs. 596.00-600.00, 735-740 lbs. 600.00-604.00, 740-745 lbs. 604.00-608.00, 745-750 lbs. 608.00-612.00, 750-755 lbs. 612.00-616.00, 755-760 lbs. 616.00-620.00, 760-765 lbs. 620.00-624.00, 765-770 lbs. 624.00-628.00, 770-775 lbs. 628.00-632.00, 775-780 lbs. 632.00-636.00, 780-785 lbs. 636.00-640.00, 785-790 lbs. 640.00-644.00, 790-795 lbs. 644.00-648.00, 795-800 lbs. 648.00-652.00, 800-805 lbs. 652.00-656.00, 805-810 lbs. 656.00-660.00, 810-815 lbs. 660.00-664.00, 815-820 lbs. 664.00-668.00, 820-825 lbs. 668.00-672.00, 825-830 lbs. 672.00-676.00, 830-835 lbs. 676.00-680.00, 835-840 lbs. 680.00-684.00, 840-845 lbs. 684.00-688.00, 845-850 lbs. 688.00-692.00, 850-855 lbs. 692.00-696.00, 855-860 lbs. 696.00-700.00, 860-865 lbs. 700.00-704.00, 865-870 lbs. 704.00-708.00, 870-875 lbs. 708.00-712.00

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Receipts 556. All classes of cattle were full steady. 300-500 lb. steers and heifers were steady to \$1.00 higher. 500-700 lb. steers and heifers were steady. Packer cows and bulls fully \$1.00 higher from \$2.00 to \$3.00 higher last week. Cows and calves were fully steady. Bred cows steady and in good demand. Buyer attendance was good and bidding active. This market quoted from last weeks market which was fully \$2.00 to \$3.00 higher.

HEIFERS: 200-300 lb. \$65-75; 300-400 lbs. \$60-70; 500-700 lbs. \$55-65.

STEERS: 200-300 lbs. \$75-85; 300-400 lbs. \$70-80; 500-700 lbs. \$60-70.

PACKER COWS: Canners \$30-34; Cutters \$38-45; Fat cows \$38-42.

YOUNG COWS AND CALVES: \$475-650 per pair, Medium cows and calves \$450-575 per pair.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES INCLUDE: Warren Donaldson, Rhome, 9 head whiteface heifers, 500 lbs. \$59.00; Melvin Meadows, Paradise, 6 head red whiteface steers, 501 lbs. \$72.50; John Moore, Benbrook, 1065 lb. Holstein cow at \$44.50; Rocking R Ranch, Ballinger, 10 head Brangus heifers, 475 lbs. at \$5.50; Mrs. R.W. King, Graford, 1430 lb. packer bull at \$54.00; Russell Hale, Weatherford, 460 lb. black whiteface heifer at \$61.00; A.L. Wooley, Granbury, 385 lb. Brangus heifer at \$70.00; Clayton Gibson, Weatherford, 470 lb. whiteface bull at \$74.00; Driftwood Ranch, Odessa, Texas, 1,180 lb. packer cow \$44.00; Henry Youngblood, Weatherford, 728 lb. Chianina steer at \$63.00.

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Weatherford Market Again Moves Higher Last Wednesday

Weatherford, TX — Jan. 21 (special) — Receipts 556. All classes of cattle were fully steady. 300-500 lb. steers and heifers were steady to \$1.00 higher. 500-700 lb. steers and heifers were steady. Packer cows and bulls fully \$1.00 higher from \$2.00 to \$3.00 higher last week. Cows and calves were fully steady. Bred cows steady and in good demand. Buyer attendance was good and bidding active. This market quoted from last weeks market which was fully \$2.00 to \$3.00 higher.

Heifers: 200-300 lbs. \$65-75; 300-400 lbs. \$60-70; 500-700 lbs. \$55-65.

Steers: 200-300 lbs. \$75-85; 300-400 lbs. \$70-80; 500-700 lbs. \$60-70.

Packer cows: Canners \$30-34; Cutters \$38-45; Fat cows \$38-42.

Young cows and calves: \$475-650 per pair, Medium cows and calves \$450-575 per pair.

Representative sales: Warren Donaldson, Rhome, 9 head whiteface heifers, 500 lbs. \$59.00; Melvin Meadows, Paradise, 6 head red whiteface steers, 501 lbs. \$72.50; John Moore, Benbrook, 1065 lb. Holstein cow at \$44.50; Rocking R Ranch, Ballinger, 10 head Brangus heifers, 475 lbs. at \$5.50; Mrs. R.W. King, Graford, 1430 lb. packer bull at \$54.00; Russell Hale, Weatherford, 460 lb. black whiteface heifer at \$61.00; A.L. Wooley, Granbury, 385 lb. Brangus heifer at \$70.00; Clayton Gibson, Weatherford, 470 lb. whiteface bull at \$74.00; Driftwood Ranch, Odessa, Texas, 1,180 lb. packer cow \$44.00; Henry Youngblood, Weatherford, 728 lb. Chianina steer at \$63.00.

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TK Bar Brangus "Pure Production" Sale Set February 14

San Antonio, Tx. — The TK Bar Brangus "Pure Production" Sale will be held Saturday, February 14, 1987. Sale time is 8:00 p.m. at the La Mansion del Norte, San Antonio, Texas.

Selling will be 40 Brangus females bearing the TK Brand. The sale will feature the following bloodlines: Rocky, 650, Cloud 942, Extra, Exacto, Excel, Crackerjack, Checkmate, Trevor, Titan, Tiny, Captain Nemo, Champ 700 and Paragon.

For information contact Al Goulder, Goulder Land & Cattle Co., 601 South Madison, Tempe, Arizona 85281. Sale consultants are Jess and Randy Bryce, 612/742-3311. Sale manager is Pierce Sale Company, Bellville, Texas 77420. Hay For Sale? Advertise Classifieds. #08865-9104.

Checkoffs Rolling, Retailers On Ad Bandwagon

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enough to gauge consumer response," said a major midwest retailer. "Consumers aren't stampeding into the store saying, 'I saw the ad, and I want beef' but the ads are cause for retail jubilation.

Before the campaign, retailers had to spend all of their money to advertise their product, one retailer said. Now that the cattle industry has shown a willingness to promote their product, the retail people will say, "O.K., now let's put some more of our money on their product." The reaction will be very positive, he said.

Although current consumer demand for beef can't be directly linked to Beef Board promotions, demand is very strong, said one retailer. "Those big box movement figures you've been seeing reflect the fact we ran out of beef at the counter," he said. "In fact we're still trying to buy beef right now to fill demand, and the boxed should continue to move at a good pace."

Fed Cattle Stronger, Hogs Were Mixed At Markets Monday

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\$97.50. Holsteins \$52 to \$65. Heifers \$65.50 to \$85.50 and \$55.50 to \$65. Hogs steady to 50 cents higher at \$46 to \$49.

ST. PAUL fed steers and heifers 50 cents to \$1 higher and Holstein firm. Steers \$87 to \$88.25 and \$65 to \$67. Holsteins \$61.50 to \$64. Heifers \$66 to \$75.50 and \$84.50 to \$86. Hogs steady to 50 cents lower at \$46 to \$49.

SIOUX CITY compared to last

Wednesday fed cattle were 50 cents to \$1 higher. Steers \$89 to \$90.50 and \$88 to \$89. Heifers \$57.50 to \$58 and \$57 to \$57.50. Hogs firm to 50 cents higher at \$46 to \$49.80.

ST. LOUIS compared to last Monday fed cattle firm to 50 cents higher. Steers \$88 to \$89 and \$67 to \$68.50. Holsteins \$61 to \$62. Heifers \$66 to \$68.50 to \$69.50 and \$65 to \$66. Hogs 76 cents lower at \$46 to \$48.50.

PEORIA fed steers 50 cents to \$1

lower and heifers steady, spot 50

cents lower. Steers \$57.50 to \$60 and \$55.50 to \$57. Heifers \$58 to \$68.50 and \$54.50 to \$56. Hogs \$1 to \$1.50 lower at \$45 to \$48.50.

JOLIET cattle steady some choice

heifers \$57 to \$58 in a thin test. Hogs

\$1 to \$1.25 lower at \$44.50 to \$48.25.

Panhandle, W. Okla., New Mexico Feeder

Amarillo, Jan. 23 — Texas Panhandle, Western Oklahoma and New Mexico feeder cattle summary. Firm to 1.00 higher. Trading fairly active following the record breaking

movement last week. Demand good.

Steers coming from Texas and

Oklahoma Panhandles and neighbor-

ing states, some steers coming from

Wyoming. Feeder steers \$24.00-

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price \$50-725 lbs. \$60.00-66.50; few

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Old Ch. bulls	42.00-46.00

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Good Choice H. H. yrs.	60.00-65.00
Med. Ch. H. H. yrs.	55.00-60.00
Plain Med. H. H. yrs.	45.00-55.00

STOCKER COWS

Grd Ch. Cows	32.00-50.00
Grd Ch. Pairs	50.00-57.00
Com-Med. Cows	38.00-42.00
Com-Med. Pairs	40.00-50.00

BABY CALVES

Baby calves	17.50-100.00
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JANUARY 23, 1987
Cattle sold this week 1,082, last week 1,169, one year ago 1,405. All classes of stocker and feeder cattle were steady to \$3.00 higher with the real choice kind in real good demand. Slaughter cows \$2.00 to \$4.00 higher. According to the cattle on feed report they will get higher yet.

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Com-Med. str. calves	200-300 lbs 78.00-88.00
Gd-Ch. air. calves	300-400 lbs 65.00-85.00
Com-Med. air. calves	300-400 lbs 55.00-85.00
Gd-Ch. steer calves	400-600 lbs 75.00-83.00
Md-Gd. steer calves	400-600 lbs 65.00-76.00
Com-Md. steer calves	400-600 lbs 55.00-62.00
Gd-Ch. H. H. calves	200-300 lbs 70.00-80.00
Com-Med. H. H. calves	200-300 lbs 60.00-70.00
Gd-Ch. H. calves	300-400 lbs 63.00-85.00
Md-Gd. H. calves	300-400 lbs 55.00-83.00
Com-Med. H. calves	300-400 lbs 50.00-85.00
Gd-Ch. H. calves	400-600 lbs 62.00-82.00
Com-Md. H. calves	400-600 lbs 47.00-58.00
Holstein St. calves	200-400 lbs 54.00-62.00
Holstein St. calves	400-600 lbs 55.00-60.00

HOGS

Top hogs	47.00
Sows	44.00

Stocker And Feeders
Steady To \$3.00
Higher At Gainesville

Gainesville, Jan. 23 — (Special) Receipts 1,082. All classes of stocker and feeder cattle were steady to \$3.00 higher with the real choice kind in real good demand. Slaughter cows \$2.00 to \$4.00 higher. According to the cattle on feed report they will get even higher.

Slaughter cows, heifer type \$21.48, utility and commercial cows \$41.46, earner and cutter \$21.41, good choice bulls \$48.50, medium good bulls \$42.40.

Stocker and feeder yearlings, steers, good choice \$67.70, medium good \$65.87, plain medium \$60.56, heifers, good choice \$60.09, medium good \$56.80, plain medium \$46.56.

Good choice cows \$82.50, pairs \$500.570, common medium \$38.42, pairs \$400.500.

Baby calves \$17.50-100.00.

Stocker and feeder calves, steers, 200-300 lbs., good choice \$85.62, medium good \$70.45, common medium \$60.70; 300-400 lbs., good choice \$78.89, medium good \$65.78, common medium \$65.65; 400-600 lbs., good choice \$75.83, medium good \$65.75, common medium \$65.65; heifers, 200-300 lbs., good choice \$70.80, medium good \$60.70, common medium \$60.60; 300-400 lbs., good choice \$63.65, medium good \$65.65, common medium \$50.60; 400-600 lbs., good choice \$62.65, medium good \$56.62, common medium \$47.65.

Holstein steer calves, 200-400 lbs. \$54.82, 400-600 lbs. \$65.80.

Top hogs \$47.00, sows \$44.00.

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Oklahoma Closing
Cash Grain Prices

Prices to farmers FOB elevator Monday afternoon, in cents per bushel, except sorghum per cwt.

U.S. no. 1 hard red winter wheat: 1 cent higher. 2302-68. Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 2.30, Clinton, Weatherford 2.32, El Dorado 2.34, Alton, Miami 2.36, Madford, Temple 2.37, Bunnell, El Reno, Hobart, Kingfisher, Okemah, Watonga, Yukon 2.39, Davis 2.40, Manchester, Ponca City 2.41, Frederick, Lawton 2.42, Gary 2.41, Pauls Valley 2.45, Muskogee 2.68, Gulf 3.07. Generic certificates were quoted from 100-107, mostly 103-108 of face value.

U.S. no. 2 barley: Steady 1.55-1.60. Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 1.60.

U.S. no. 2 milo: Mostly steady.

2.20-2.70. Ponca City 2.20, Manchester 2.30, Weatherford 2.35, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal 2.45, Alton, Pauls Valley, Watonga 2.50, Muskogee 2.52, Perryton 2.55, Miami 2.70, Gulf 3.13.

U.S. no. 1 soybean: 1 cent higher.

4.17-4.2. Davis 4.17, Beaver, Keyes,

Liberal, Perryton 4.20, Weatherford

4.31, Pauls Valley 4.40, Miami 4.48, Alton 4.49, Muskogee 4.72, Gulf 5.21.

U.S. no. 2 yellow corn: Muskogee 1.66, Beaver, Keyes, Liberal, Perryton 1.80, Ponca City 1.86, Alton, Pauls Valley 1.90.

Grade 42 staple 32 cotton in

southwestern Oklahoma averaged 63.4

cents per pound.

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Also plan to attend the Zapata Limousin Ranch Company 5th Annual Bull Sale. Selling 80 2-year-old Limousin bulls, February 20, 1987 at 12:00 noon. At Winters Livestock Commission Company, Lajunta, Colorado.

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Sale Management by:

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Zapata Limousin
Calendar Cow Herd
Dispersal, Feb. 12

Canyon, Texas — The Zapata Limousin Ranch "In The Prime Of Their Lifetime" Calendar Cow Herd Dispersal will be held Thursday, February 12, 1987. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the Canyon Livestock Commission Co., 5 miles south and 1 mile west of Canyon, Texas. Sale day phone is 806/488-2432, barn owner, Cecil 78216, 512/2849-2186.

A total of 311 female lots will sell including 9 purebred pairs, 113 purebred cows bred for spring calves, 21-75% Limousin pairs, 91-75% Limousin cows bred for spring calves, 13-50% Limousin pairs and 64-50% Limousin cows bred for spring calves. All cows selling will be 7 years old or under and will include rods, blacks and brockle faced cows calving to purebred and fullblood Limousin bulls.

In a separate sale, Zapata Limousin Ranch will sell 80 two-year-old bulls, February 20, 1987 at 12:00 noon. This sale will be held at Winters Livestock Commission Co., at Lajunta, Colorado.

Auctioneers for the female sale will be Bruce Brooks and Tommy Barnes. For information contact Zapata Limousin Ranch, Malcolm Stewart.

Grain Futures
Higher Monday

Minneapolis, Jan. 26 — Chicago Board of Trade Futures:

Monday	Sett.	Change
Wheat:		
Mar.	2.93 1/4	UP 2 1/4
May	2.73	UP 1 1/4
July	2.54 1/4	UP 1
Sept.	2.53 1/4	UP 1
Dec.	260	UP 1 1/4
Corn:		
Mar.	1.50 1/4	DN 1/4
May	1.65 1/4	NC
July	1.70 1/4	UP 1 1/4
Sep.	1.73 1/4	UP 1
Dec.	177 1/4	UP 1
Oats:		
Mar.	1.61	UP 1/4
May	1.64 1/4	UP 1
July	1.46 1/4	UP 1/4
Sept.	1.37 1/4	UP 1/4
Soybeans:		
Mar.	5.00 1/4	UP 1/4
May	5.00 1/4	UP 1/4
July	5.00 1/4	UP 1/4
Aug.	4.90 1/4	UP 1 1/4
Sep.	4.86 1/4	UP 1/4
Soybean meal:		
Mar.	142.20	UP .40
May	140.60	UP .10
July	139.90	DN .10
Aug.	139.30	DN .20

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All Cattle Higher,
Hogs Sold Steady
At Fort Worth

Fort Worth, Jan. 26 (F-S) — Cattle and hogs 700. Feeder steers 1.00-3.00 higher; slaughter cows fully 3.00 higher. Feeder heifers and heifer calves 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00-3.00 higher. Demand good.

Trade active. Feeder steers: medium frame no. 1: 200-300 lbs. 79.00-88.00; 300-400 lbs. 77.00-83.00; 400-500 lbs. 70.00-77.00; 500-600 lbs. 66.00-69.00; 600-800 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Large frame no. 1: 400-500 lbs. 65.00-72.50; 500-700 lbs. 62.00-68.00. Large frame no. 2: 400-500 lbs. 60.00-65.00; 500-800 lbs. 58.00-62.00.

Feeder heifers: medium frame no. 1: 275-400 lbs. 62.00-68.00; 400-500 lbs. 60

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estimates are this may take anywhere from a year to a couple of years, and in th' meanwhile deadlines for paying your taxes will have come and gone and maybe a couple of times.

Meanwhile, th' special interest groups and lobby members are workin' with lawd to start twistin' th' arms of their captive Congressmen to get back some of th' loop holes that had been plugged in the current version either accidentally or on purpose in th' first draft.

Meanwhile, you and me can set back and watch this horor play bein' played out and if there is any joy in having your fate delayed and in not knowing whether you are going to windup more or less broke when they get through with you, we can relax and enjoy it.

There is one safe bet. Sales of train quailers and houze are likely to be strong and active and some of th' more popular futurity light houzes and likely to fill our needs.

Ever then.
The Editor,
P.S.: Uncle Dunk says those folks who want th' hiway speed limit raised must have been surprised at th' way th' gate got slammed on th' idea before it got off th' ground. We alint seen any polls on th' matter, but we would bet a little th' average driver would like to

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**Little Credence To
Allegations Kangaroo
Meat Sold As Beef**

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in some of th' fast drivers really slowed down, rather than speeded up.

Dunk hoppers th' run up in th' stocks and bond appears to mean that even th' big guys have gotten bit by th' gege financial bite and may be tryin' in their own small way to fit a piece of th' pie those highlanders on th' inside have been swimmin' up. - Thassall, Brothers

**Feedlot Trade
Mostly Higher**

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1090-1100 lbs. 60.00% choice with end commercial and good 1000-1100 lb.

commercial and heiferettes 59.50-60.00.

Omaha, January 27 (USDA) - Nebraska feedlot sales lastin' 23 of stated. Sales confirmed 1,100, week to date 4,200. Steers and heifers 50 to 1.00 higher. Demand good but very few sales confirmed due to strong producer pricing policy following release of Friday's C.O.P. report. Short: Very few sales largely choice 24, 1200-1400 lbs. 61.40 to 61.50. Delivered.

Heifers: Market volume good to mostly choice 24 1000-1200 lbs. 59.50 to 60.00 both FOB and delivered. All foregoing sales for Tuesday slaughter. No sales of consequence confirmed in the heath, buyers express need for cattle but unwilling to bid up enough to meet feedlot operators expectation.

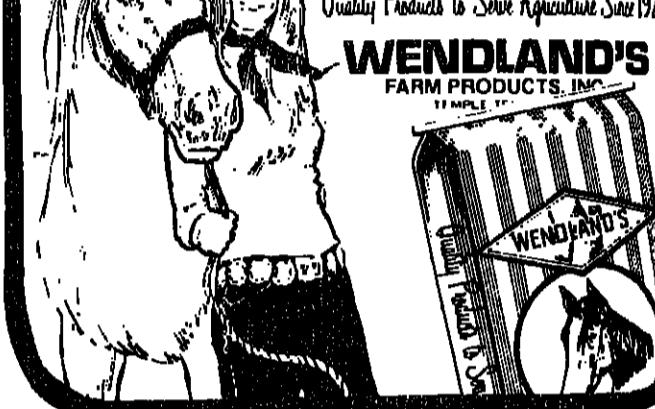
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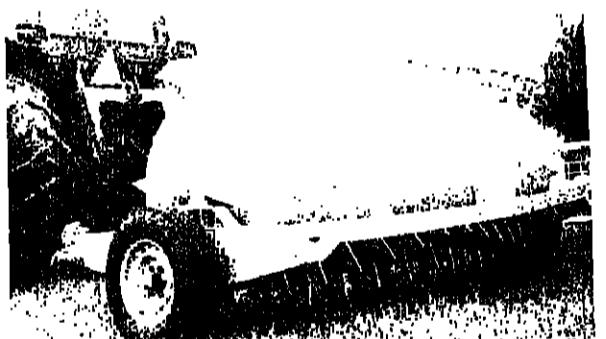
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**Cattle Up Sharply
At Oklahoma City**

Oklahoma City, Jan. 26 (USDA) - Cattle and calves 4,500. All trends continued to latest test two weeks ago: Feeder steers and heifers 1.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter bulls 1.00 higher. Trade very active with good demand for both feeder and slaughter classes. Feeder steers: Medium and large frame 1, few 320-400 lbs. 82.00-83.75; few 400-500 lbs. 74.50-81.50; 500-600 lbs. 70.00-75.00; 600-700 lbs. 67.40-72.30; 700-800 lbs. 65.80-70.50; few 800-910 lbs. 69.80-88.50. Medium & large frame mixed 1,2, 500-700 lbs. 65.20-70.80; 700-800 lbs. 61.50-69.25; few 800-975 lbs. 61.00-62.00.

Feeder heifers: Medium and large frame 1, lot 375 lbs. 70.00-43.00-500 lbs.

young 42.50-44.25; middle-aged 40.50-47.00; aged 36.50-37.00. Pairs: Hereford cows 1245 lb. 1.5 year old with a small and a 150 lb calf at side 800.00 per pair.

Hogs: 1,000. Barrows and gilts: 2,00-225 lower. US 1-3 210-255 lb. 46.80-47.30; 4 head 47.00. US 2-3 260-265 lb. 43.00-42.80; pkg full 38.60. Cutter 1-2 39.00-42.10. Canner and low dressing cutter few 35.50-38.00. Bulls: YG 1 1350-1800 lbs. 48.75-54.00; pkg. 1350 lb. 38.20-37.50. Feeder pigs 100: US 1-3 185-186 lb. 45.10-46.10.

**Triple J Beefmaster
Bull Sale At Sealy
Set For February 7**

Sale headquarters will be the Countryside Motel at Sealy, Texas. 409/885-7407.

Auctioneer will be Anthony Mihalski. Sale consultant is Bubba Bubba 915/683-6396.

For information on this BBU approved sale contact Triple J Ranch, P.O. Box 619, Katy, Texas 77492-0619, 713/391-4726, Joel D. Wahlberg of Joe Mike Kohlman, Beaville, Texas, General Manager, 512/358-3392.

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Saturday, February 7

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• 11:00 A.M. Sale Begins



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Charolais Sale At Castroville Set For February 19

Castroville, Texas — The Texas Charolais Sales Corporation has announced a Charolais Sale to be held Thursday, February 19, 1987. Sale time is 6:00 p.m. at the Livestock Performance Center at Castroville, Texas. The sale will be held in conjunction with the Charolais Show during the San Antonio Stock Show on Feb. 19.

Selling will be 60 Charolais females including bred females, pairs and bred and open heifers. Also selling will be 10 Charolais bulls and 4 Charbray bulls.

For information contact Gary West, Secretary, P.O. Box 12, Pleasanton, Texas 78064, 512/569-3847.

Cuatro B Brangus Sets First Bull Sale For January 31

San Angelo, Tx. — The Cuatro B Ranch Brangus Bull Sale will be held January 31, 1987. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at Producers Livestock Auction at San Angelo, Texas.

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Brazos Valley Simmental Bull Sale Set February 28

Industry, Texas — The Brazos Valley 5th Annual Simmental Bull Sale will be held Saturday, February 28, 1987. Sale time is 12:00 noon at the 4-County Auction Center at Industry, Texas.

Selling will be 115 fullblood Simmental bulls that are 2 years old, 2 breeding age Simmental bulls and 20 breeding age Simbrah bulls. All bulls are semen tested and brucellosis tested.

Lunch will be available. Sale day phone is 409/357-2545.

Sale manager and auctioneer is Charles Rollins, 122 North Rayner Street, Suite C, Fort Worth, Texas 76111, 817/838-0819.

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Kansas Range Sales

Dodge City, Jan. 22 (USDA) — Feeder steers firm to 2.00 higher and feeder heifers 1.00-2.00 higher. Steers 3,700; medium frame no. 1 650-700 lbs. 65.00-87.00; 700-800 lbs. 62.00-87.00, no 800 lb. weights above 66.00. Contracts: March 675 lbs. 63.00; May 600 lbs. 65.00. Heifers 6,400; medium frame no. 1 550-700 lbs. 60.60-82.00; delivered 61.50-62.50. Contracts: March 650-700 lbs. 59.25; May and June 600-725 lbs. 58.00-68.50.

Gulf Coast Hereford Spring Sale Feb. 14

The Gulf Coast Hereford Association 37th Annual Spring Sale will be held Saturday, February 14, 1987. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Washington County Fairgrounds in Brenham, Texas. Lunch will be available in the sale barn. Selling will be 62 head of registered Herefords and F1's. The consignments include 40 fertility tested Horned Hereford Bulls, 6 Brad Horned Hereford Females and 16 F1

Bradford Females (Cow/calf pairs and heavy springers).

Consignors on Herefords are: Boyd A. Cecil, Flatonia; Coon Haven, Brenham; Henneke's Hereford Ranch, New Ulm; Roy H. Herrmann, Caldwell; J Bar B Farms, Richmond; J Bar F Ranch, Normangee; JDQ Hereford Farm, Schulenburg; L.A. Kulner, New Ulm; Kirby Hereford, Washington; Tom A.

McQuillen, Industry; Millcreek Farms, Bleiberville; Palori Ranch, Hempstead; Edward W. Roeder, Yorktown; Schatte Herefords, Giddings; and Monroe Schatte, Sr., Giddings.

Britten. For catalog and information, call L. A. Kulner, (713) 631-2345 P.O. Box 330088, Houston, Texas 77233-0088.

According to legend the original St. Nicholas (Santa) was a 4th century Turkish bishop who dropped a bag of gold coins down a chimney into a stocking a poor girl had hung by the fireplace to dry.

Brazos Valley 5th Annual Simmental Bull Sale

Saturday,
12:00 Noon

FEBRUARY 28, 1987

Four County Auction Center

Industry, Texas

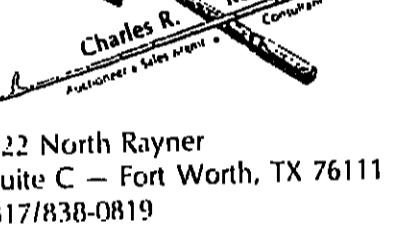
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San Antonio, Texas

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Denver Shorthorn Sale Highlights Western Activities

6-23 bulls \$63,000 avg. \$9,595.
7-13 females \$67,000 avg. \$7,776.
14 total lots \$120,800 avg. \$9,835.

Auctioneer: Bruce Brooks, Springer, Ok. Sale Manager: Cagwin Cattle Services, Inc., Virginia, II. Sponsored by American Shorthorn Association.

The excitement was running in high gear for the 1987 National Western Shorthorn Sale held on Saturday, January 17, during activities at the Denver Stock Show. There was a standing room only in the Beef Palace Auction Arena as the auction began.

The top selling lot at \$27,000 was MF Margin 33 ET*, consigned by Man Farms, Cleburne, Tx. Sold was 2/6 embryos, interest and full possession, with the original owner retaining 1/3 embryo interest. The sale was open and ready for entry into an embryo transfer program. Buyer of MF Margin 33 was Walter J. Hoyt & Sons, Burns, Or.

The second top selling lot in the sale was Alexander S3 ET *x, consigned by Granada Shorthorns, Cloverdale, In., and Ramsey's Shorthorns, Greenfield, In. Offered was 2/3 foalless, full possession and one hundred per cent of the future semen rights. The buyer, at \$25,000, was Timershade Breeding Service of Elk Grove, Ca. Waymar VLT Una, consigned by Preston Hoyt of Burns, Or., was the third top selling lot. A syndicate consisting of six firms purchased Una for \$16,000. Those members are: Spring Place Shorthorns, Chatsworth, Ga.; Haywood Shorthorns, Union, Ia.; J. W. Holmes, Tolar, Tx.; Deer Trail Ranch, Poteet, Tx.; Bill Hasker, Allen, Tx.; and Hugh Mount Jr. & Sons, Jerseyville, II.

Additional transactions included: Lot 18, W&I Lucy SU from TNT Shorthorns, Manitoulin Island, Ont., Can., and W&I McMahon, Arundel, Que., Can., to Gilcrest Farm, Virginia, II, for \$6,000; Lot 8, GPN Crockett from GPN Shorthorns, Buffalo, Mo., to the Mutt Ranch, La Jara, Co., for \$6,000; Lot 5, Hallmark x from the Lou Ru TA Queen Syndicate, Ronkseller, In., to Just A Fox Farms, Dick and Glenda Brahma, Ashley, Mi., and Bob Watson, Manistee Beach, Mi., for \$5,200; Lot 9, J&J Northwest Victor ET* from J&J Polled Shorthorns, Collatz, Wa., and Danner Farms, St. John, Wa., to V8 Ranch, Hungerford, Tx., and Buchholz Bros. Shorthorns, Bardwell, Tx., for \$5,000; Lot 15, Seven T's G Princess * from

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Seven T's Polled Shorthorns, Yukon, Ok., to Walter J. Hoyt & Sons for \$4,950.

Shorthorn Sale Date Changed

The 8th Annual Cowtown Classic Shorthorn Sale, originally set for February 1, 1987, has been changed to Saturday, January 31, 1987 at 7 p.m.

The sale, sponsored by the Texas Shorthorn Association, will be held in the Cattle Sale Arena, Southwestern Exposition & Fat Stock Show grounds, Fort Worth, Texas. A parade of the sale offering, brad and open heifers, bulls and show steer prospects, will be held at 6 p.m. Bruce Miller, Fort Worth, Texas will serve as auctioneer.

Additional information may be obtained from sale committee members J. O. & Mary Bass, H.C. O, Box 176, Pflugerville, Texas 78672, phone 800/285-2121 or Larry Embank, Rt. 2, Box 1641R, Whitney, Texas 76692, phone (817) 694-3943.

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**Denver Witnesses
Powerful Display
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the senior yearling bull class and was the Senior Champion bull.

A newcomer to American show rings, TNT Fastrak 413 x, made his presence known as he was selected as the Reserve Grand Champion bull. His owners are Neil McNaught, Gary Roy, Man., Can.; Dan Cagwin, Virginia, Ill.; Granda Shorthorns; and Walter J. Hoyt & Sons.

Granda Shorthorns, and Hochholz Bros. Shorthorns of Harwell, Tex., teamed together to show BHS Ayatollah 1005 x to the Show Grand Champion in the female show. Glendora Missy *, a Canadian female exhibited by Glenda G. Bender, Neodesha, Kans., was named the Reserve Grand Champion female.

Shorthorn Events...

Jan. 31 - Cowtown Classic Short-horn Sale, Fort Worth.
March 7 - Kentucky National Sale, Louisville, KY
March 14 - Spring Place Sale - Chatworth, GA
March 16 - Oklahoma City Sale, Elk City, OK
March 21 - Illinois Sale, Springfield, IL
April 11 - Lone Star Sale, Tolar, TX
April 25 - Stouts Spring Fling, Kremmlin, OK
April 26 - Alabama Sale, Florence, AL
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Futures Talk

Week Ended Jan. 23

In last week's article, I described the appearance and activity on the "floor" of the Exchange. This is a very exciting place! It seems to me to be capitalism in its purest form with "open-outcry" buying and selling. It is a place where anyone with sufficient capital to cover margin can have an opportunity to succeed financially. The futures markets are the greatest money machine in the world.

There are basically two types of Floor Brokers. One type executes orders for customers, and the other type, known as Locals, execute orders for their personal accounts.

The brokers that execute orders for Commission House customers receive a commission of around two to three dollars a contract. They generally execute orders for several brokerage houses at once. Many of them work for themselves while others are employees of the brokerage houses. Occasionally a customer will say that they got better order executions at one brokerage house than at another brokerage.

This may be so but the reality may be that both brokerage houses use the same Floor Brokers, and they are both getting executions at the same time. The difference perceived by the customer could well be due to speed of reporting by the brokerage house.

These sort of problems tend to cause differences in fills and speed of service from different brokerage houses at any one point in time.

Each brokerage house uses a different color of customer order ticket. As the Floor Broker makes trade, the Broker may then take the order out of the trading pit. "Runners," who are employees of brokerage houses, carry customer orders into and out of the trading ring. They are looking for their brokerage tickets by color on the floor. Some Floor Brokers accept incoming customer orders in their pockets on one side and put their "filled" orders in pockets on their other side. Runners have to get into the pit to these brokers to deliver and pick-up customer orders. All of this activity is taking place in a

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Nov. 62.75 +180 1

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June 46.80 +93 235

July 46.70 +75 397

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1-30 - JIBA Beefmaster Heifer Show, Southwestern Expo, Fort Worth, TX
 1-31 - Syler Sales All-Breed Bull Sale, Sulphur, TX, S/M Syler Sales Mgmt.
 1-31 - El Rejoso & Wenz Farming Co. Simbrah Bull & Replacement Female Sale, Helderberg, TX
 1-31 - Harrell Cattle Co. Stockman's All-Breed Range Bull Sale, Gonzales, TX
 1-31 - Gustra B Brangus Bull Sale, San Angelo, TX
 1-31 - Progressive Brangus Bull & Female Sale, Fort Worth, TX, S/M Ash Marketing
 1-31 - The Athens All-Breed Bull Sale, Athens, TX
 1-31 - Texas Angus Futurity Show & Sale, Fort Worth, TX
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- 3 - The National Polled Santa Gertrudis Sale, Fort Worth, TX
- 6 - Texas Longhorn Assn. National Show, 7:00 PM, Fort Worth, TX
- 7 - Giani Brangus Sale, Industry, TX
- 7 - Fort Worth Stock Show Quarter Horse Sale, Barn 8, Fort Worth, TX
- 7 - The Texas All-Breed Bull Sale, Mt. Vernon, TX
- 7 - Southeastern Beefmaster Carolina Bull & Female Sale, Anderson, SC
- 7 - La Major & Triple J Ranch Beefmaster Bull Sale, Sealy, TX
- 8 - 50th Head Stare Beefmaster Sale, Pleasanton, TX, S/M Leo Cason
- 8 - Golden Point Ch-Angus Dispersal, OK Cow Sales, Chickasha, OK
- 9 - Southeastern Beefmaster Bull Sale, Montgomery, AL
- 12 - Zapata Limousin Sale, Canyon, TX
- 13 - 10th Annual Southwest Region 4040 Chianina Show & Sale, San Antonio, TX
- 23 - Performance Tested Brangus Bull Sale, Castroville, TX
- 24 - Oklahoma Angus Assn. Board Meeting, Oklahoma City, OK
- 24 - LaFon Ranch Commercial & Registered Angus, Red Angus & Brangus Cow & Bull Sale, Oldsbury, KS
- 24 - "Focus on the Future" Sale, Dickinson, ND
- 24 - Gulf Coast Hereford Assn. 87th Annual Spring Sale, Brenham, TX
- 24 - Gulf Coast Beefmaster Sale, Wharton, TX
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- 27 - American Gelbvieh Assn. National Convention, Baton Rouge, LA
- 28 - O.K. & T. Angus Assn. 46th Annual Show & Sale, Buffalo, OK
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- 29 - Texas Charolais Sales Corp. Sale, Pleasanton, TX
- 29 - Texas Charolais Sales Corp. 27th Annual Sale, Castroville, TX
- 29 - LSU Open Gelbvieh Show, Baton Rouge, LA
- 29 - Long-Moreau Brahman Sale, Lottie, LA
- 22 - National Brahman Sale, Houston, TX
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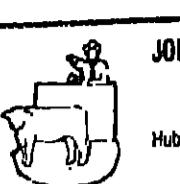
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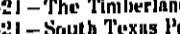
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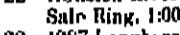
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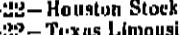
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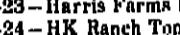
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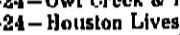
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2-27 - Champion of Champions Simmental & Simbrah Sale, Super Sale Saloon, 4:30 PM, Houston, TX, S/M Dean Taylor

2-27 - Houston Charolais Sale, Super Sale Saloon, 8:00 PM, Houston, TX

2-27 - Horlock Beefmaster Sale, Houston, TX

2-28 - Brans Valley 5th Annual Simmental Bull Sale, Industry, TX

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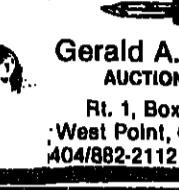
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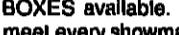
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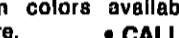
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4-11 - Leon Noack Annual Hereford Prod. Sale, Rockdale, TX
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4-11 - Lone Star Shorthorn Edition I Sale, Tolosa, TX
4-11 - Brazos Valley Breeders F-1 Sale, Bryan, TX, S/M Dick Britton
4-11 - Louisiana Simmental-Simbrab Assn. Sale, Abbeville, LA
4-11 - Lewis Cattle Co. Limousin Sale, Kingbury, TX, S/M American Cattle Services
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4-18 - Par Mar, Gary & Ollie Brangus Sale, Austin, TX
4-18 - Lamborn Limousin Sale, Mounds, OK, S/M American Cattle Services
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4-20 - Freez Brothers Angus Ranch Complete Dispersion, Newark, AR
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4-28 - 1st Annual Smokey Canyon Longhorn Ranch Prod. Sale, Dodge City, KS
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4-28 - Coyote Hills Limousin Sale, Chattanooga, OK, S/M American Cattle Services
4-28 - Gulf Coast Simmental/Simbrab Assn. Sale, Brenham, TX
4-28 - Triple Header Simmental, Shabot & Brahman Sale of '87, L/S Performance Center, Castroville, TX
5-1 - Premier Santa Gertrudis Assn. Sale, Wimberley, TX
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5-2 - Oklahoma Beef Expo Angus Sale, Oklahoma City, OK
5-2 - Oklahoma Shorthorn Spotlight Sale, Oklahoma City, OK
5-2 - 4th Annual Oajan Longhorn Classic Sale, Lake Charles, LA
5-2 - Lone Star Beefmaster Annual Spring Sale, Sulphur Springs, TX
5-2 - Pecan Valley Angus Prod. Sale, Mexia, TX
5-3 - Texas Polled Hereford All Star Classic, Pardon, TX
5-3 - Fitzmarie Beefmasters Prod. Sale, Athens, TX
5-4 - Complete Dispersion of Bracoco Angus Herd, Yukon, OK
5-4 - 4 Bar S Polled Hereford Prod. Sale, Marshall, TX
5-5 - Dorigae Brangus Genetic Legacy Sale, Bush, LA, S/M Ash Marketing
5-6 - Silver Creek Farm Spring Festival Santa Gertrudis Sale & Futurity, Ardmore, AL, S/M Superior Cattle Sales
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The event will get underway at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, February 13 with presentations by John Crouch, American Angus Association director of performance programs; St. Joseph, Missouri, and Roy Wallace, Select Sirs Inc. beef sire coordinator, Plain City, Ohio. A workshop will follow on Angus Herd Improvement Records (AHIR) at 8:45 p.m.

The seminar will reconvene on Saturday morning, February 14 at 9:00 a.m. Speakers for the morning program include Dick Spader, American Angus Association executive vice president; John Crouch and Roy Wallace. A panel moderated by Dr. Charles McPike of Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, along with commercial cattlemen Charles Nichols, Arnett, Oklahoma, and Gary Johnson, Dwight, Kansas, will follow.

Mike Gardiner of Gardiner Angus Ranch, Ashland, Kansas, is the scheduled program speaker after lunch. The seminar will conclude with a question and answer period, moderated by Dick Spader.

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Word is that some of the California advisors of this flight wanted the landing to be not at the air force base, but to flutter gently to earth at Capistrano in a tree.

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They were told on landing? Not "Congratulations" or "Great job," but "Sorry, your luggage didn't make the connections."

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"Profit, Performance and the Future" Seminar

Friday, February 13

7:00 p.m. - "Why Are We Here?"

7:15 p.m. - "The Basics of Angus

Herd Improvement Records"

7:45 p.m. - "The Performance

Evolution and the E.P.D. Concept"

8:45 p.m. - A Hands-On Workshop

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Saturday, February 14

9:00 a.m. - Welcome

9:05 a.m. - "Why Are We Here?"

9:15 a.m. - "Why Performance Concepts are Important to the Angus Industry"

9:30 a.m. - "The Basics of A.H.I.R. and Non-Drop Performance Programs are Important"

10:15 a.m. - Coffee Break

10:30 a.m. - "The E.P.D. Concept and How to Use Them in Your Selection Process at Your Ranch"

11:15 a.m. - "Why Commercial Bull Buyers use Performance"

12:00 p.m. - Lunch

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